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BRIEF REPORT.
FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair; light southwest wind. For San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; with light fog in morning; light southwest wind, changing to fresh west.
Sunrise, 5:21; sunset, 6:28.
YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 80 deg.; minimum, 57 deg. Wind 5 a. m., southwest; velocity, 3 miles; 8 p. m., southwest; velocity, 8 miles. At midnight the temperature was 80 deg.; cloudy.
TODAY—At 2 a. m. the temperature was 60 deg.; cloudy.
[The complete weather report, including comparative temperatures, will be found on page 11, part II.]

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SYNOPSIS.

THE CITY. State Afro-American Council pledges 10,000 votes to Taft, declaring every plank of the Democratic platform dangerous. Rumors in La Prosperidad corporation stockholders making charges against president. Swift black chaps 1500 acres of land. Property owner offers city his lot for street-opening assessment. Tammany politician Grandy surprised by city's progress in twenty years. Expert gives hope to Johnnie mine stockholders. Crackmen tap saloon safe. Thieves reap Sunday harvest. Dance hall referendum petition a shock for "reformers." Elks boosting convention with local literature. Los Angeles Eagles entertain visitors. Flend gouges cow's eyes out with knife. Court prevents Lowe gas faction meeting. County Jail addition plan changed. Warning factions in Vernon reach amicable agreement in fertilizer factory dispute.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Immense forest fire in mountains back of Pasadena. More sensations in Clifton case at Santa Ana. Remains of ex-Governor of Arizona buried at San Diego. Courts twice vindicate San Diego doctor. Orange hunter killed when climbing tree to get bird to make up limit. Despondent saleswoman of San Bernardino takes enormous dose of quinine. Sierra Madre in fight with "Lucky" Baldwin. Santa Monica City Attorney refuses to prosecute leading merchant accused of riding on sidewalk. Ventura county's bean crop estimated at \$2,240,000. Charles Donlon, Democratic nominee for Assemblyman for thirty-third District, declines to be candidate, intimating that party has no chance to win. Covina High School bonds carry by large majority at fourth election.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Three children killed by storm from a blast in San Francisco. Four persons are killed and six injured in a railroad wreck near Eugene, Or. Former Venezuelan revolutionist says he expects to return to that country soon on a filibustering expedition. San Francisco footpad holds up young woman and robs her of \$65, but is captured by passer-by. Hearst hands Iroquois Club of San Francisco some hot queries as he resigns membership by request. San Diego man charges his little daughter has been starved and improperly cared for in the Tingley School at Point Loma. Field artillery on way to San Luis Obispo county for maneuvers camped at Watsonville and scares Japanese. First Chinese voter in California registered at Reno. Two soil experts from Washington arrive in California to conduct interior experiments for several days. Redding man tries five times to kill himself with shotgun and succeeds only in blowing off his toe. Stockton undertakers start campaign against Sunday funerals. Seattle longshoremen plan to tie up shipping in Northwest by extending strike boycott to other cities.

GENERAL EASTERN. Bryan and party arrive at Indianapolis to attend Kern notification meeting. Report from Washington says that the United States will lend moral support to revolutionists who, supported also by Holland and France, will soon undertake the overthrow of Castro, in Venezuela. Chairman Hitchcock visits New England and finds Republican situation satisfactory. Mrs. Haines announces that she will assist prosecution in effort to edit her husband's murder of Anna. United States court of appeals sustains in full conviction of government in case of application of anti-smuggling law for goods.

HOLDS UP COACHES.

Lone Bandit Gets Rich Loot.

Stops Twelve Stages in Yellowstone Park and Makes Escape.

Compels Tourists to Give Up Over Twelve Thousand Dollars.

Some of Plunder Is in Drafts. Victims Number Hundred Twenty-five.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

LAKE HOTEL (Yellowstone Park, Wyo.) Aug. 24.—The most daring stage hold-up in the West in many years occurred today within the boundaries of the Yellowstone Park. The work was done by a lone highwayman, and the passengers were absolutely helpless in his hands, as no guns are permitted in the park to either drivers or tourists.

From the statements of passengers it is estimated that approximately \$2000 in cash was secured, drafts worth \$10,000 and other papers and transportation, besides a rich haul in watches and jewelry.

In all, twenty-one coaches left the Upper Geyser Basin this morning. The highwayman was encountered about five miles further on at a lonely point along the banks of Spring Creek, a tributary of the Fire Hole River. The creek is lined with bushes.

FIRST ARE UNMOLESTED.

The first lot of coaches, numbering seven, and following each other closely, passed by the place unharmed. There was a gap between them and the next lot of eight following. As the first of the hold-up coaches along the highwayman stepped from the bushes and ordered the driver to halt. He did not molest the driver nor any of the passengers.

On the first seat sat R. Drew of Orlando, Fla., and his stepson, P. H. Gaskin. Mr. Drew, with the gun upon him, was ordered to "hand over," which he did, to the extent of \$90. Gaskin was ordered to dismount and hold the man's sack. This he did at the point of a gun, all along the line of eight coaches. Every driver was warned not to start his team or he would be shot.

BANDIT ANGERED.

In one of the other coaches, Forest Stevens of Wilkesbarre, Pa., gave a nervous laugh, which seemed to encourage the bandit, and he was ordered to dismount and also accompany the highwayman when he got out. He started to go around the rig, but was summarily ordered to come back and get a sack with the head with the barrel of the rifle for his pains.

When the last of the eight coaches was reached the highwayman remarked that he had a good mind to shoot him anyway, and did fire a shot at him. Then both were ordered to move on.

These eight coaches had scarcely gone when three more came along and these were gone through in a like manner. One of these coaches was M. L. Walker, an Oklahoma banker. He had \$10,000 in drafts in his pocket, and tried to conceal this from the bandit. The robber saw him, and ordered him to bring it forward. Mr. Walker asked for his drafts and transportation, but they were all taken. He was contemptuously thrown into the bushes with the remark that he would have done so if he had not tried to hide his money.

TAKES GIRL'S CANDY.

The last and twelfth coach contained five young ladies. The highwayman obtained very little from them, but stopped long enough to appropriate some candy.

In all, about one hundred and twenty-five people were held up, though not all of these suffered loss. When he ordered the drivers to move on, the bandit told his victims with his gun pointed toward them, and then walked down the road.

As quickly as possible after the telephone message was received at the station word was sent to the soldiers and a detail started after him.

The man is described as about five feet, eight inches, bluish gray eyes, brightly gray whiskers and acted either as a man who was short of breath or a consumptive.

He understood German, as he answered questions asked him in that language. He had on bluish brown overalls, brown shirt, soft hat and carried an automatic rifle and used smokeless powder.

At a meeting tonight of the victims, held in the Lake Hotel, resolutions were passed with the request that they be sent to the Associated Press. These resolutions request secretary of the Interior Garfield to make an investigation to ascertain whether there has been neglect of duty on the part of the guardians of the park, and whether the victims have any suitable means of redress and compensation from the government and what steps are necessary to ensure greater safety and defense in the future in the Yellowstone Park.

DR. BURDETTE IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. J. Burdette and Mrs. Burdette arrived today from a trip in the rotten granite formation. Such local disturbances are frequent in the limestone region.

LOOKS LIKE PROSPERITY.

Chicago and Alton Railroad Orders \$1,000,000 Worth of New Coal Cars.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
BLOOMINGTON (Ill.) Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The management of the Chicago and Alton Railroad, today, announced that the contract had been let to the Standard Pressed Steel Car Company, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Hammond, Ind., for the construction of 1000 all steel coal cars of fifty-ton capacity, delivery to commence by November 15 this year.

These cars will cost \$1,000,000, fully \$100,000 less than would have been the case a year ago. The new cars will be of a new type of hopper bottom, expediting unloading contents whether for the company or commercial use.

Construction will commence immediately at the Hammond, Ind., plant of the successful bidders.

NEGLECTFUL.

LACK OF FOOD IS ACCUSATION.

SAN DIEGO MAN SPEAKS OUT ABOUT TINGLEY SCHOOL.

Declares His Little Seven-Year-Old Daughter Was Improperly Cared for and Inadequately Fed While She Was an Inmate of the Institution.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
SAN DIEGO, Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] When John J. Fitzpatrick filed a petition with the Superior Court asking for the care and custody of his seven-year-old daughter, Kathleen, who, for the past two years, has been in the custody of the Tingley School at Point Loma, the best teacher of the school dismissed the child and returned her to the care of the mother.

This action was taken last Saturday.

The hearing of the application of the father for the custody of his daughter was begun this afternoon. He charged in his testimony that the child was starved and not properly cared for while at the institution. He said that he swore on the witness stand that she was served for breakfast day in and day out with but two crackers and two dates, that since he has brought the present action the rations were increased to four crackers and four dates, and last Saturday, in order to avoid further publicity of the matter, the child was dismissed from the school and returned to the mother.

Whether or not the child has gained in weight in the last two years she has been in the custody of the school, one of the questions to be decided. The father maintains that the child has lost weight.

Fitzpatrick also stated on the witness stand that the theological brotherhood does not believe in the divinity of Christ in the divine inspiration of the Bible. He claims he was a member of the society previous to the elevation of Mrs. Katherine Tingley to the leadership and that he was expelled when his wife brought suit for divorce. He objected to the testimony of the society in the presence of his child.

Since the society has expelled the child from the school the only questions for the court to now pass on is whether the father is a suitable person to control her.

Frank Knabe, business agent for Mrs. Tingley, is the only witness to so far attend the hearing, and it is possible he will be called upon to testify at the continuation of the case tomorrow.

It is not believed Mrs. Tingley will be called upon to testify.

RETURNS FROM ARCTIC CRUISE.

Denmark Greenland Expedition Reaches Copenhagen—Vessel Is Given Full Military Honors.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
COPENHAGEN, Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The members of the Denmark Greenland expedition arrived here yesterday in the Denmark, and were met on entering the harbor by hundreds of steamers and the whole of the royal yacht club flotilla.

The Denmark displayed her flag at half-mast on account of the death of Mylius Erichsen, the leader of the expedition, and two of his companions.

The vessel was received with full military honors by the warships and King's yacht. The admiral and all the officers and sailors took off their hats and cheered the Denmark while the national hymn was played.

DIAZ'S SON PROMOTED.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Maj. Porfirio Diaz, son of President Diaz, has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in the Mexican Army. He served for some time as military attaché of the Mexican embassy at Washington, and was formerly an instructor in the National Military Academy at Chapultepec.

VIRGINIA FEELS EARTHQUAKE.

RICHMOND (Va.) Aug. 24.—There were several severe earthquake tremors felt in Amelia, Powhatan and Chesterfield counties last night and this morning. No one was hurt and no property damage was done. It is probable the trouble was due to a slip in the rotten granite formation. Such local disturbances are frequent in the limestone region.

VENEZUELA'S PRESIDENT WHO IS DOOMED BY POWERS.



View of Beautiful City.

capital of Venezuela, where Castro rules, but where, it is reported, Holland, France and the United States will morally assist revolutionists to place another president. Señora Castro's picture is shown above.

GOLD LACE ON RAGGED EDGE.

DIPLOMAT RAISES COIN ON HORSE.

ALI BEY, "BROKE," RELIEVED BY HOMER DAVENPORT.

Deposed Turkish Minister Parts With Arabian Steed Worth \$10,000 to Get Funds With Which to Leave America—Tried in Vain to "Tough" Rich Cigarette Maker.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That Mehmed Ali Bey, deposed Turkish Minister, was compelled to leave with Homer Davenport, the horse-loving cartoonist, his prize Arabian steed in order to obtain funds with which to leave America is the story made public here tonight by a friend of the fleeing Minister.

Furthermore, it is stated that this final sacrifice came only after the Minister had vainly appealed to a wealthy New York cigarette manufacturer for a loan of \$2000, who a few months before had been presented with him two Arabian horses valued at \$10,000 each. One of these he presented to one of the Schinagel Brothers, wealthy cigarette manufacturers of New York. A few days ago Mehmed Ali received his recall. He was stranded. He turned to Schinagel for a loan but was refused, but he was thoroughly outdone. The stranded Minister decided to turn over to Davenport the remaining horse of the pair, for he had to have money. He got it and left America via Canada.

MEXICO DISTRIBUTING TROOPS.

Republic Taking Precautions Against Recurrence of Border Troubles on Independence Day.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
EL PASO (Tex.) Aug. 24.—The Mexican government is taking every possible step to guard against a recurrence of border troubles on September 15, the anniversary of the independence of that country. Troops are being judiciously distributed all along the border and in sections remote from the larger cities. High officers are also being placed in command of the different border posts, colonels taking the places of captains and majors who have hitherto been in command.

The usual programmes for celebrating the Mexican Independence anniversary are being prepared, but precautionary measures are being taken against the gathering of crowds at places not designated in the celebration programmes, and, as last year, all saloons will be closed throughout the republic on that day.

THEATRICALS FOR TAOHE.

RENO, Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Miss Nance O'Neill, the tragedienne, will stage the first theatrical performance ever given at Lake Tahoe when she appears in the open air there Tuesday night. She will put on the "Fires of St. John." The stage will be erected under the pines near the Tavern at the terminal of the Lake Tahoe railroad.

GOVERNMENT DOESN'T WANT FITZGERALD.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The United States government will not assume any responsibility in the prosecution of George W. Fitzgerald, accused of stealing \$125,000 from the United States treasury in Chicago two years ago, when he was asserting that he was a tinsmith.

"I do not care to comment upon the merits of the case," said Assistant United States Attorney Davis, "but I will say that more of a showing will have to be made than has already been made to warrant the government in instituting criminal proceedings. The government has taken no action, nor will it, for the simple reason that no evidence has ever been obtained by us to warrant Fitzgerald's arrest."

"We are doing absolutely nothing in connection with this case," asserted Capt. Porter, head of the United States Secret Service Bureau in Chicago.

"Would you consider Fitzgerald a logical thief?" was asked.

"We think that he is not."

Capt. Porter asserted that his men and himself were posted on all of Fitzgerald's transactions with Gano excepting that in which Fitzgerald is alleged to have offered to sell Gano two \$1000 bills for \$500 each, and at this feature of the case the captain smiled broadly.

Assistant United States Treasurer Boldenwick thinks differently. He said:

"Everything points to him as the guilty man, from what I have heard of the case. Of course, I do not know all that Mr. Young does. I do know, though, that Mrs. Fitzgerald never had any money, excepting the \$700 she got out of her mother's estate, and Fitzgerald had only \$1000 in the world when he was discharged from the treasury."

"He's a tin-star detective," said Fitzgerald when Young was mentioned. "I have not a nickel that does not honestly belong to me, so help me God. My accusers are liars and I fear nothing."

Fitzgerald spent last night in jail but was admitted to bail today on a \$50,000 bond by Judge Chetlain. Counsel for the defendant pleaded for an immediate hearing, but the court postponed the examination until August 25.

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WIFE OF BRITISH GENERAL IS SLAIN.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The wife of Maj.-Gen. Charles Edward Luard was mysteriously murdered at a summer house used for picnics, while other reports say that it was lying between seven o'clock and eight o'clock in the evening in a desolate wood near Seven Oaks, which is a short distance outside London.

No trace of the murderer has been found, but the motive appears to have been robbery, valuable rings having been taken from the woman's fingers.

The circumstances surrounding the tragedy are inexplicable.

The general and his wife were about to go on a holiday, and the general suggested that they walk from their residence at Igham Knoll, a short distance, to the golf links to fetch some things which they needed from the club house. They started at 2 p. m., making a short-cut through a wood belonging to a neighbor, which the general had the privilege of using.

Half way along Mrs. Luard, becoming tired determined to allow her husband to proceed alone, declaring her intention to return home. The general proceeded to the club house and having collected the things which he wanted, returned to his residence by another route.

Finding that his wife had not reached home, he set out in search of her, and was horrified to find her lying face downward in a pool of blood near the spot where he had been shortly before left her in the woods.

Some of the accounts say that the body was lying on the balcony of a summer house used for picnics, while other reports say that it was lying between seven o'clock and eight o'clock in the evening in a desolate wood near Seven Oaks, which is a short distance outside London.

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Mrs. Luard was a tall and handsome woman about 58 years of age. Maj. Luard is a retired officer of the Royal Engineers. He entered the army in 1857 and was active in the Fenian revolution in 1867. He devalued the scheme for his rearmament of Gibraltar. He founded the Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs in 1861, and the Fenian Society in 1867. In 1871 he married the youngest daughter of Thomas Hartley of Gifford, Cumberland.

SPANKING IS NEAR.

Nations Will Turn on Castro.

European Countries and the United States Are Said to Favor Plan.

Revolutionists Prepare for Action Following the Rainy Season.

Holland to Blockade Ports. Money Pours in to Support Rebels.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Record-Herald will publish the following dispatch tomorrow under a Washington, D. C. date:

With the full sanction of Secretary Root and the State Department and with promise of effective assistance from Holland, a well organized armying revolution is being planned to overthrow President Castro of Venezuela. This knowledge comes from unquestionable sources.

The revolutionary movement now being financed in New York and elsewhere, will become operative after the rainy season in Venezuela, which is about the middle of October. Within a few months it is expected that a Venezuelan ruler will place President Castro, an object which the State Department, Holland, France, Colombia and the Venezuelan government have every confidence of accomplishing.

PLANS UNDER WAY.

Plans have already been begun for inaugurating the revolution. Financial backing is not lacking, as money pouring in from New York City, as well as from other sources. The revolution is being planned to be carried out in perfect secrecy. The plans may run up into the millions.

The leader in the plan has been engaged in mapping out his campaign for weeks. His first step was to contact the State Department and he has been out from both the Department and the State Department. He has been engaged in mapping out his campaign for weeks. His first step was to contact the State Department and he has been out from both the Department and the State Department.

HOLLAND WILL AID.

Holland has been informed of the move and will aid by blockading Venezuelan ports while the land attack is being made along the border with Colombia. For this reason the State Department expects no drastic action on the part of Holland until the time comes to strike in October.

Inquiry as to the name of the revolutionary leader and the names of the who are conspirators have been refused. The time is not yet ripe to disclose this. There will be no attempt at secrecy as President Castro probably knows that trouble already brewing because many Venezuelans themselves are involved in the plan.

ENEMIES IN COUNTRY.

After investigation the revolutionists planners ascertained that there are many people in Venezuela and especially along the Colombia border who are hostile to President Castro. These people claim they are held in respect for him by fear, but upon assurance that a powerful movement is coming to their aid they will be found ready to assist in the overthrow of the present government.

Colombia will willingly help by providing men who are as anxious to overthrow Castro as some of the Venezuelans themselves. From Venezuela and Colombia, however, the Venezuelans are to do the fighting, while the United States will provide the money and several leaders, leaving Holland to carry out the naval part of the programme.

PLANNING VENEZUELAN FILIBUSTERING TRI.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
RENO (Nev.) Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gen. Raphael Yabel Mendez, the Venezuelan revolutionist who opposed Gen. Castro in the battle of La Victoria in 1902, has gone to Reno, Nev., where he will sell his claims to procure funds for the purpose of financing a filibustering expedition to overthrow the South American government.

Mendez said before leaving the Riverside Hotel here that his friends in Nevada and California were ready to join in the movement, and confidently stated that he expected to be back from San Diego before the first of the year.

Mendez's property in this State has been acquired through investments made by soldiers who fought under him during the last serious Venezuelan revolution. Mendez and Death Valley "Bobby" are particular friends, the swarthy general denied to new paper men here that the "mystery" would accomplish him to the equator.

Johnny Poe, the Princeton University football player, started with Mendez last year to organize a Venezuelan filibustering expedition, but failed to get the money when he reached San Francisco.

NGTHENS THE FENCES.

† [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
B BOSTON (Mass.) Aug. 24.—At the
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NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—between 5000 and 6000 tailors are on strike in this city today, according to the estimates of the United Brotherhood of Tailors, said Alfred. "If I get feet wet I get a cold in my head, I can wet my head twice a day, never get cold in my feet."

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CONFESIONS IN DRUNK MURDER.
More Women Shed Light on Camden Case.
Father Killed by Son Because Husband Beat Them.
Pennsylvania County Offers Reward for Slayer.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
BALTIMORE, Aug. 22.—According to the authorities of this city, Mrs. Bonnie Rosenbloom and her daughter, Eva, confessed today that the body found in the trunk at Belle Mawel, near Camden, N. J., August 16 was that of Samuel J. Rosenbloom of Windber, Pa., husband of the elder woman, and that he was killed by the son, Alexander Rosenbloom, at their home in Windber, Pa., or about November 12, last. The woman said the cause of the murder was that her husband had beaten them. Mrs. Rosenbloom, who is 57 years of age, and her daughter, who is 16, were arrested this morning at their home here.

For nearly an hour Mrs. Rosenbloom and her daughter were questioned by Detective Captain Humphrey before they confessed to the killing.

Mrs. Rosenbloom says that she did not know of her son concealing the body of his father in the trunk and that neither she nor her daughter, Eva, asked him any questions.

They said the trunk in the store, he said, and she supposed that her son placed the body in one of the trunks and carried the trunk and the body into the street in the rear of the store, where he kept it until he was able to take it away.

Mrs. Rosenbloom said that she did not know of her son's whereabouts.

WARRANTS ISSUED.
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
JOHNSTOWN (Pa.) Aug. 24.—District Judge John Lewis has asked the county commissioners to issue warrants for the arrest of Alexander Rosenbloom, 24, son of Mrs. J. J. Rosenbloom and Eva Rosenbloom and Joseph and Louis Edgar, nephews of the murdered man, who live in New York.

THIEVES' SUNDAY HARVEST.
Life Rooms, Rob Cigar Stand and Secure Cash in Each Instance. Hold-up Reported.

Sneak thieves and hold-up men reaped a harvest Sunday.

Peter Kahn of No. 66 Gladys avenue reported to the police yesterday that his room had been entered and a purse containing \$20.70 stolen, while he was taking a bath in an adjoining room.

A. M. Jackson, who owns a cigar stand at No. 1114 East Second street, was relieved of \$25.50 by a thief, who used the wire netting protecting the stand and rifled the cash drawer.

The room of W. Clark of No. 624 Gladys avenue was rifled Sunday night, the intruders securing several dollars, a gold stickpin and a pair of sleeve links.

Mrs. W. Robinson of No. 157 Elm street yesterday reported the loss of a suitcase containing jewelry, presented to her mother by members of the German royal family. Mrs. Robinson did not know whether she left the case at the Long Beach car station or whether it was stolen.

O. E. Moore of No. 1202 West Seventh street was held up and robbed of \$50, a silver watch and a bank book late Sunday night. He met two men at Chutes Park in the afternoon and heard the rest of the day and the evening with them. On East Sixth street, between Main and Los Angeles streets, the men assaulted Moore, dragged him to a lot and took his valuables.

FIENDISH CRUELTY.
Officers of S.P.C.A. Searching for Person Who Stabs Cows in the Eyes. Motive Unknown.

Superintendent Zimmer of the S.P.C.A. and his men are searching for a fiend who stabbed in the eyes six cows belonging to Charles Giegrich. The injured animals may become wholly blind. The outrages were committed at different times while the herd was grazing in a thirty-five-acre pasture near the pigeon farm. The cause for the cruel acts is unknown.

Recently Giegrich gave a pet fox terrier and four pups some liver, and they died. He thinks they were poisoned, and believes a horse he lost some time ago was also poisoned.

Superintendent Zimmer has been watching the cows for days in the hope of discovering the guilty party, but so far has not obtained a clue. He says he will endeavor to have the miscreant, when caught, punished to the full extent of the law.

CABBIER SHOTS HIMSELF.
German Bank Official Commits Suicide After Confessing to Embezzlement of Funds.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)
FRANKFORT, Aug. 24.—Herr Goltzman, cashier of the coupon department of the Mittle-Deutsche Credit Bank, shot himself dead in this city today. He had embezzled \$125,000 from the bank.

He left a letter of confession addressed to the management stating he had speculated on the London Exchange.

Aged Carpenter Assaulted.
"Michael" Schloesser, an aged carpenter, was severely beaten and kicked in a fight last night in the Parker House at Fifth and San Pedro streets. After he became conscious in the Receiving Hospital, he accused W. M. Wilson, a machinist, of assaulting him. Wilson was arrested. According to witnesses Schloesser was attacked by Wilson as soon as the former entered the place. It appears that the two men had a dispute over a card game some time ago which precipitated the fight.

DETERMINED TO DIE.
Falling When He Cuts Throat, "Busted" Gambler Refuses Food and Says He'll Starve.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
RENO, Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Isaac Lewis of Salt Lake who lost his last few dollars over the gambling tables in Rawhide Wednesday, came here and cut his throat with a razor today, while physicians tried to save him. He refused food and said he was determined to die. He was not necessarily be fatal, he de-

clares he will starve himself to death. Lewis, stricken to tear the bandage from his throat and when his hands were strapped, he told the nurses he would find another way to prevent recovery. Food to aid in regaining his strength was refused. He said he would never touch a mouthful so long as his senses remained.

The doctors say unless he eats he will die within two days.

REAR YOUNG WOMAN.
Footpad Gets \$65, But Is Captured by Passer-by and Landed in Jail.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—Miss Helen Ehrenst, a guest of the Hotel Earlcliffe, is in a precarious condition as the result of injuries she received last night from a footpad, who seized her by the throat while she was on the way to visit friends.

After robbing her of \$65, the thug threw her to the ground and started to run. Miss Ehrenst's screams were heard by Bernard Crosby, who pursued and captured the robber after a struggle. At the City Prison he gave the name of Carl Clinto. The stolen purse was recovered.

OPIUM SMUGGLER CAUGHT.
OFFICIALS SUSPECT GANG.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
SEATTLE, Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Wearing a peculiar vest made for the special purpose of smuggling opium, James Murphy, fireman on the Pacific Coast Company's steamship President, was arrested today with about ten pounds of the drug.

Within the vest, which was worn next to the skin beneath a soft shirt, were found twenty half-pound tins of opium. Another fireman against whom suspicion had also been directed escaped.

Customs officers believe there is an organized gang on the steamships plying between this city and British Columbia, engaged in smuggling opium.

JAILBIRDS TRY TO FLY.
THURTY GIVEN ALARM.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
ELKO (Nev.) Aug. 24.—An attempt of the prisoners confined in the Elko County Jail to escape last evening was only frustrated by the prompt action of a colored trusty in calling for help.

When Under Sheriff Harris and Elmore entered the jail to serve supper they were attacked from behind by three desperate prisoners, and soon were practically helpless. They were struggling against great odds when sheriff Clark and a number of men summoned by the cries of the negro trusty arrived. The other forty-five prisoners did not participate in the attack, and only one man, known as "Slim" Smith, escaped. He mounted a posse is hunting for him in the hills near here.

ESPEE MEN STUNG.
LYNCH ACCUSED OF FRAUD.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—When John J. Lynch, the mining broker, who was arrested Saturday night in Reno on a warrant charging him with feloniously disposing of Ocean Shore bonds, arrives in San Francisco in the custody of a deputy sheriff, he will find himself facing a charging from him with embezzlement and with obtaining money under false pretenses by men in the employ of the Southern Pacific Railroad, to whom he is alleged to have sold thousands of shares of bogus mining stocks during the last two years.

According to the statements of these men, Lynch swindled them out of a sum aggregating more than \$10,000 by falsely representing that he owned extensive mining interests in Nevada, and that he was about to begin the construction of a smelter and stamp mill on one of his properties. More than a dozen employees of the Southern Pacific who bought stocks from Lynch say they are ready to take a hand in his prosecution.

PROMOTER ARRESTED.
LARCENY IS CHARGED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)
DENVER, Aug. 24.—On complaint of officers of the Big Bend Ditch Company of Seattle, Wash., an attaché of the sheriff's office here today, placed under arrest J. J. Henry, a promoter of this city.

The charge against Henry is larceny, as he is alleged to have obtained the company's bonds and the outgrowth of his refusal to relinquish possession of bonds of the Big Bend Ditch Company amounting to \$50,000.

Henry's attorney appeared in the district court late today, and filed an application for writ of habeas corpus, and tomorrow will ask the court to set a date for a hearing. In the meantime Henry is at liberty on bonds of \$500, supplied in cash by himself.

In commenting upon today's development, Henry said it was an attempt to force him to file a criminal proceeding which they failed to force him to do through civil suit.

"SUICIDE VISIT."
THREE CALLERS SELF-SLAINE.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
DAVENPORT (Iowa) Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Sophia Durnin, called on her neighbor, Mrs. Keppy last evening, and allowed two ounces of cyanide to be taken after arriving and died in five minutes. She had been subject to melancholia for some time.

This is the third time that persons of this city have committed suicide in neighbor's homes in the last few weeks and the suicide visit is becoming an accepted social institution here.

CRIME BRIEFS.
Arraigned for Embezzlement.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—Charles Rust, who was arrested in Grand Rapids, Mich., on a charge of felony embezzlement preferred by two women of this city, who accused him of defrauding them of \$4000 entrusted to him to play on a place at Emeryville, was arraigned in police court today and his examination set for Wednesday.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION.
Fears Entertained That One Victim of Automobile Accident Cannot Live.

Others Recovering.

Mrs. C. M. Hoff of No. 795 Lincoln avenue, Pasadena, who was thrown from an automobile at Sixteenth street and Western avenue Sunday afternoon, when a Santa Monica car struck the machine, is in a critical condition at the California Hospital. She is suffering from internal injuries, a fracture of the pelvic bone, a torn scalp, and cuts and bruises. Her condition is such that grave doubts of her recovery are entertained.

The other victims of the collision are recovering rapidly from the shock and injuries, and are in no danger, according to the hospital reports.

BOOSTING THE CONVENTION.
Publicity Work for the Elks' coming convention here is already in full swing according to R. L. Sanders, editor of the Elks' Reunion Bulletin, who arrived from Dallas and is at the Angels.

"A. C. Murray, my assistant and myself have been sending out a large volume of Los Angeles advertising matter, and will continue to do this until the time of the convention," said he. "We've just received word from Dallas that the Texas & Pa-

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BROADWAY COR. 4TH LOS ANGELES. ARTHUR LETTS

Tremendous Price Reductions to Make Boys' Clothing and Furnishings Go Quickly

Slash goes the Blue Pencil through the regular price tickets in the Boys' Clothing section, and all small lots, broken lines and accumulations from a big summer season will be out at prices that will make a sale event of the most vital importance to every mother. School time isn't far away and you know the drain on the pocketbook. Well, here's an opportunity to make your money buy nearly double. Yes, and in some cases will go further than that. This Department on the 2nd floor. Note the prices; they have not been approached this season

All Small Lots Boys' \$4.00 to \$7.50 Suits, \$2.50

The ones, twos and threes of a kind, the accumulation, odd lots embracing fine worsteds, blue serges and novelty suits in knickerbocker and straight pants style. A price that is as wonderful as it is rare.

Remember, they sold regularly at \$4 \$5, \$6 and \$7.50; at this sale today, each \$2.50 as long as they last; come early.

Our \$6.00 Lines Boys' Corduroy Knickerbocker Suits, \$3.00

A price you've never seen equalled in this class of goods; they'll wear just like iron; smart appearing suits, for ages 11 to 16 years only. Remember, these are the \$6 line. This grand clean-up brings them to you today at \$3.00.

BOYS' 50c PANTS
8 to 10 A. M.
Bloomer and knickerbocker styles, most all sizes **25c**

BOYS' 35c SUSPENDERS
President Brand, 8 to 10 A. M., only, for **19c**

BOYS' LINEN COLLARS
Slightly soiled, "Arrow" and "Silver," dozen **5c**

BOYS' BICYCLE PANTS
Corduroy, double seat; regular \$1.69. Ages 9 to 14 **75c**

BOYS' UNDERWEAR
Balbriggan, in all sizes **12 1/2c**

BOYS' 25c BLOUSES
All sizes; light and dark patterns, for **12 1/2c**

BOYS' STOCKINGS
Regular 19c values; three pairs for **25c**

BOYS' WASH SUITS
69c and 75c grades; well made; good materials **39c**

BOYS' GOLF CAPS
All sizes in neat patterns for **9c**

BOYS' GOLF SHIRTS
Regular 69c grade; all sizes; two collars **39c**

BOYS' 50c SHIRTS
Black sateen in all sizes for **39c**

50c MUSLIN GOWNS
BLUE PENCILED **39c**

Muslin gowns made with deep yoke and trimmed with lace insertion and tucks. Good 50c values today. Blue Pencil to 39c, 2nd floor.

19c CORSET COVERS
BLUE PENCILED **12 1/2c**

Good muslin corset covers, most of them tight-fitting style with lace and tucked front. Find them on the 2nd floor today, 12 1/2c.

Children's 50c to \$1.25 Wash Hats, 25c

How's that for a clean-up reduction? Hats that are worth 50c, 75c and even \$1.25. They're made of linen, pique and corded materials, trimmed with embroidery and ribbon, in all popular shapes, including the little cherub. Your choice today, 2nd floor.

IF you are tired of porridge and other "Breakfast Foods"—Try KELLOGG'S FLAKES

the only flaked corn food that is malted. The choicest white flint corn blended with life-giving barley malt. Delicious in flavor, crisp, tasty, nourishing. Try it for breakfast with milk or cream. Your grocer sells it. **The only Malted Corn Flakes**

Auction
Furniture from Van Nuys Hotel
Tuesday, Aug. 25th at 2 P. M.

At 726 S. Spring street and 729 S. Main street. Fine lot of household goods from Van Nuys Hotel, consisting in part of 600 yards fine Axminster and Wilton carpets. Also a lot of rugs of same, large and small, elegant mahogany, birdseye maple and oak furniture of various kinds. We also are consigned to us for positive sale eight rooms of fine furniture from Pasadena residence, removed to our salesroom for convenience of sale. Also many small lots too numerous to mention. Don't miss this sale, as it is a rare chance to get a nice assortment of fine furniture. Notice—We are in no way connected with any other house in the city. If you wish to buy goods or dispose of same, either for cash or on commission, we are prepared to meet any competition.

L. A. AUCTION & COMMISSION CO., Office 726 S. Spring Street, Phone 7119, Broadway 1367.

Auction
Furniture and Carpets
830-32 South Main St. Wednesday, Aug. 26th, 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

A large consignment of desirable household goods, consisting in part of one fine upright piano, enameled iron and brass beds, springs, mattresses, quartered oak mahogany and banded maple dressers, chiffoniers, mirror, front, wardrobes, oak and mahogany center stands, library tables, cabinet and upright folding beds, ball throw mirrors, oak and mahogany rocking chairs, sideboards, and square extension tables, dining chairs, couches, sewing machines, parlor cabinets, picture clocks, Morris chairs, upholstered parlor pieces, mission and quartered oak buffets, sideboards, dishes, roll a flat top office desk, revolving chair, large and small office safes, bookcases, velvet, Axminster, tapestry and ingrain carpets and art square linoleum, refrigerators, reclining chairs, cook stoves, gas ranges, kitchen tables, kitchen safes, utensils, etc. Everything for the home at your own price.

RHOADES & RHOADES, Auctioneers, Phones—F1259, Main 1259.

Auction
Of Desirable Furniture of a 8-room Residence, Thursday, August 27th

At 10 A. M., at 1416 Toberman st., comprising mahogany parlor tables and rockers, upholstered parlor chairs and divan, parlor chairs, bar stools, large Wilton rug, pictures, brass enameled bed, bedding, oak dressers, hall and stair pet, hair and floss mattresses, couch and dining chairs, chard glasses, and gas ranges, kitchen utensils, etc. Take 14th or Washington-st. cars.

C. M. STEVENS, Auctioneer, Office 203 Tajo Building. Both phones.

Auction
FRIDAY, AUGUST 26th, at 10 A. M.

At 634 Crocker Street. Five-room flat of good furniture, consisting in part of Vermin Martin beds and springs, mattresses, bedding, dressers, commodes, letter file, oak library table, bookcases, leather rug, lace curtains, carved oak dining-room set, birch, maple, oak and mahogany bedroom suits, easy chairs and rockers, upholstered chairs and rockers, couches, hanging baskets of fine varieties of ferns, etc.

THOS. B. CLARK, Auctioneer.

Auction
At 130 West 30th street, consisting in part of oak Morris chair, quartered oak tables and rockers, gold and mahogany parlor chairs, bar stools, large Wilton rug, pictures, brass enameled bed, bedding, oak dressers, hall and stair pet, hair and floss mattresses, couch and dining chairs, chard glasses, and gas ranges, kitchen utensils, etc. Take 14th or Washington-st. cars.

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Merit and the "Taste that Lingers" keeps the delicious, crisp brown food in mind when something nice is wanted.

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The volume of advertising of any two of The Times' local rivals, aggregated, has not equaled for any month of the year 1938 the amount printed by The Times.

The sly trick of an evening sheet in promoting a department store of its own has only curtailed its advertising patronage. The other merchants are "wise."

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.
There are undelivered telegrams at the Post-Telegram cable office for Roscoe Pollock, L. H. Butcher, Ralph A. Clark and G. L. Merriek.

LOMPOC.
LOMPOC, Aug. 24.—Once more Lompoc has been "turned down" by the Supervisors and the Board of Highway Commissioners in regard to good roads. It is asserted that the branch road contemplated, which will cost \$185,000 to build, will from a commercial standpoint, not be worth ten cents to this section.

Word has been received from A. Gensert, who was here several weeks ago in the interests of a gas company, that he has conferred with his principals in Los Angeles and that they are well pleased with the prospect here.

BATTLE HINGES ON WEIGHT.

Ketchel and Papke to Hold Conference Today.

Long Hushes Up Managers Before the Meeting.

Great Reception Is Tendered the Champion.

Stanley Ketchel and Billy Papke are to settle their differences of opinion as to the weight question this morning at 10 o'clock at the Jeffries Club headquarters, preparatory to their battle for the middleweight championship, September 1.

The men and their managers were willing to discuss the matter last night, after their arrival in Los Angeles, but Manager Baron Long of the club put on the brakes and ordered the men not to talk for the benefit of the public until the meeting today.

Long's overcaution is born of a fear of losing the match, as San Francisco stands ready to gobble up the pugilists in the first fight here, and probably could afford to guarantee more money for it. As there is little sentiment on the part of a prize fighter's manager, Long wants to get over the difficulty with as little agitation as possible.

Leave it to the men themselves, without club interference, and no doubt they will get together today and reach some agreement, whether to meet here or in San Francisco. As now stands the men will meet in Los Angeles, as they have promised a box here if everything goes well.

It is likely that the articles of agreement, if signed today, will call for 150 pounds at 12 o'clock, about two hours before the fight. Ketchel's claim has been for 155 pounds at 9 o'clock in the morning. Papke wants the weight to be 154 pounds at 9 o'clock, 155 pounds at 10 o'clock, or 156 pounds at 11 o'clock.

If the fight is to be for the championship this weight must prevail, and it is believed Ketchel will be pulled off in Los Angeles. The match, if made, will prove a test of the "boy managers" of the club, as Jeffries has formed them, and they must make good to retain confidence of the fight public and the Jeffries line-up.

Jeffries has been ready to pull out at any time, and if anything goes wrong it will be the bone-yard for the Jeffries pugilist club, for Jeff will withdraw his name and following.

Jeffries has not been asked to referee the fight, but it is believed he will take the chance if the middleweight title goes with the battle. Both seem to be in excellent condition for the fight, and should be the greatest pulled off in Los Angeles.

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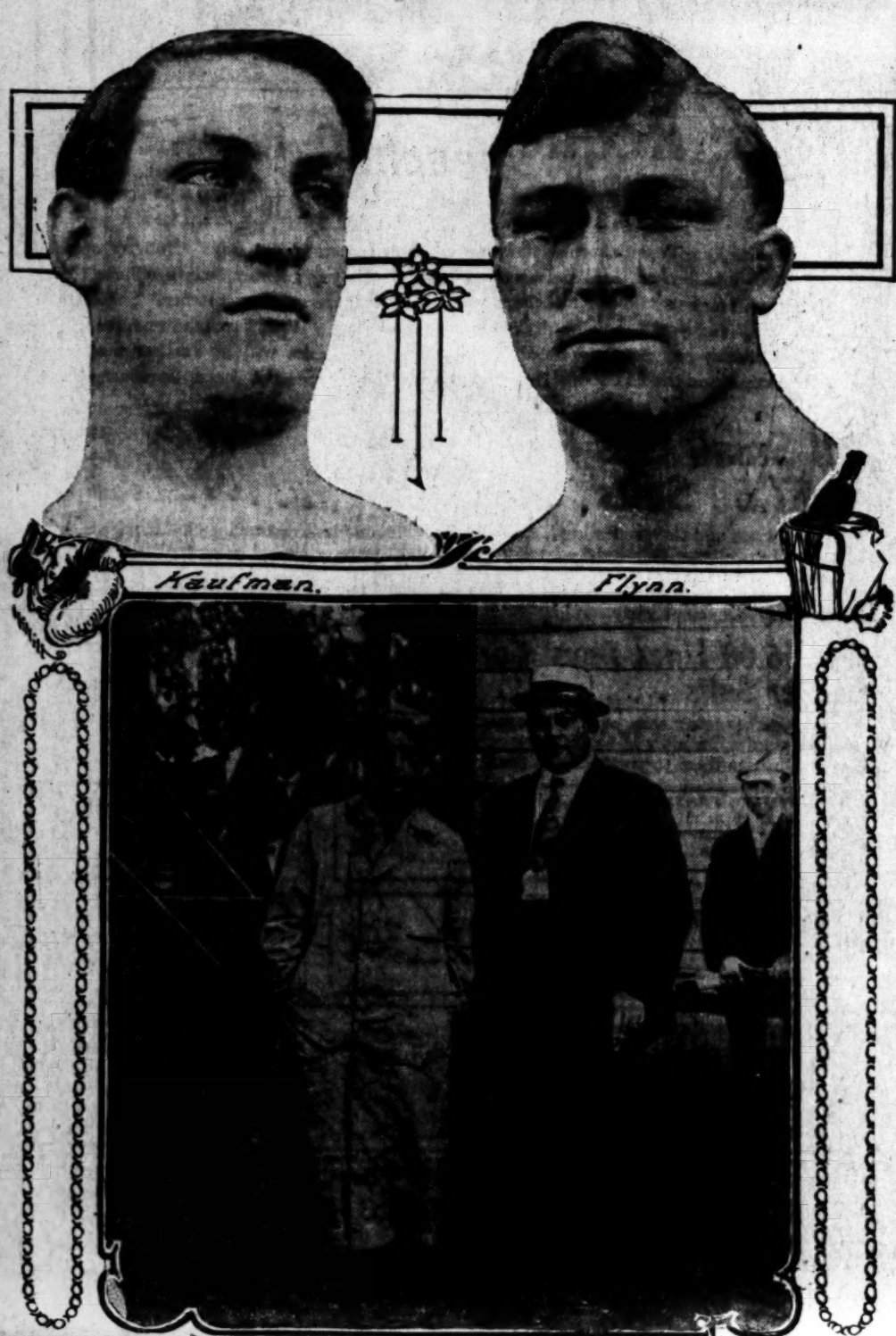
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Kaufman Flynn

Ketchel and Jeffries

A boxer of Illinois, and hoped to be considered such in the West. Papke and his manager will go to Venice this morning and immediately arrange to begin training at the amphitheater. Sparring partners for both fighters will be selected in a few days. Tonight Ketchel and Papke will attend the Flynn-Kaufman go at the Pavilion, and it is possible Flynn may train with Papke if the latter is satisfied.

STANDING OF CLUBS.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

Club	W.	L.	P.
Los Angeles	12	7	1
Portland	10	11	1
San Francisco	10	11	1
Oakland	10	11	1

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club	W.	L.	P.
Pittsburgh	10	11	1
St. Louis	10	11	1
Cleveland	10	11	1
Chicago	10	11	1
Philadelphia	10	11	1
Boston	10	11	1
Washington	10	11	1
New York	10	11	1

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club	W.	L.	P.
New York	10	11	1
Pittsburgh	10	11	1
St. Louis	10	11	1
Cleveland	10	11	1
Chicago	10	11	1
Philadelphia	10	11	1
Boston	10	11	1
Washington	10	11	1
New York	10	11	1

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Club	W.	L.	P.
Louisville	10	11	1
Indianapolis	10	11	1
Toledo	10	11	1
Columbus	10	11	1
Minneapolis	10	11	1
St. Paul	10	11	1
Des Moines	10	11	1

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Club	W.	L.	P.
Omaha	10	11	1
Lincoln	10	11	1
Sioux Falls	10	11	1
Yankton	10	11	1
Sioux City	10	11	1
Des Moines	10	11	1

EASTERN LEAGUE.

Club	W.	L.	P.
Providence	10	11	1
Baltimore	10	11	1
Buffalo	10	11	1
Newark	10	11	1
Philadelphia	10	11	1
Boston	10	11	1
Washington	10	11	1
New York	10	11	1

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Club	W.	L.	P.
New Orleans	10	11	1
Nashville	10	11	1
Memphis	10	11	1
Montgomery	10	11	1
Mobile	10	11	1
Little Rock	10	11	1
Atlanta	10	11	1
Birmingham	10	11	1

THE BARCELONA ROYAL AUTOMOBILE CLUB.

The Barcelona Royal Automobile Club has decided they will have a clubhouse of their own. At a recent meeting of the organization the members voted to purchase a plot of ground two miles west of the borough. The clubhouse is to be of the bungalow type, with a basement and three porches, and so arranged that an additional story may be added later. The club will issue bonds to defray the expense of erecting the building, and the necessary amount has almost all been subscribed. John H. Rex has been appointed chairman of a committee on Ways and Means.

LAWYERS GATHER IN SEATTLE.

SEATTLE, Aug. 24.—Delegates to the first convention of the American Bar Association ever held in the Pacific Northwest will gather for the opening session at the New Washington Hotel tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Tonight the delegates are at the hotel, and the arrival of the last of the special trains and private cars bringing the distinguished jurists and lawyers of the continent to the gathering.



Pugilistic Stars in Los Angeles

Above is Kaufman and Flynn, who are to fight before McCarrey's club tonight—Jeffries and Ketchel as they met at Cahuenga Pass yesterday—Billy Papke, below, who arrived from the East last night.

SPEEDS ALONG PAVEMENT.

Petrolithic Surface of Pasadena Boulevard Is Given Novel Test With Big Touring Car.

Over a stretch of petrolithic pavement on the Pasadena boulevard near Bardolow yesterday a White steam car was driven at top speed to test the effect of rubber tires on the road. Advocates of the petrolithic pavement assert that no dust would be raised by a machine traveling a mile a minute. The White steamer, driven by Jack Heyser, yesterday raised almost no dust.

When the test was made, Ivory B. Noble, County Surveyor, John Ormum, City Engineer of Pasadena, and Señor Ornelas Enrique, Mexican Consul at San Antonio, Tex., were in the car. The weight of the machine was estimated at 5000 pounds for the match.

The Munich series will be continued until one player has scored a total of six wins, after which the final series will be played in Berlin. Many German players have confidence in the ability of Dr. Tarrasch to overcome the strong lead of Lasker, and expect him to improve in form as the match progresses.

WALKS TO NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS (La.) Aug. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Leon Drouet, who left Los Angeles May 23 to walk to New Orleans and cover more than 2000 miles on foot, reached Boute, La., in the sugar belt, yesterday, where he stopped for several hours and explored some of the surrounding country. He is in good shape and will reach New Orleans September 1, the expiration of his time limit. He is following the line of the Southern Pacific.

LASKER WINS SERIES.

Defeats Tarrasch in Fourth Game, Losing But One in the Dusseldorf Contests.

PIRATES SLUMP BEFORE GIANTS.

MORAW'S BUNCH TAKES DOUBLE-HEADER FROM ENEMY.

Terrific Baseball Battle for Leadership of National League Results in Dossing of Pittsburgh from the Top of the Heap—Chicago Coming Up Strong.

NEARING THE FINISH.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] PITTSBURGH, Aug. 24.—New York assumed the leadership in the race for the pennant of the National League today by taking two games from Pittsburgh by scores of 4 to 1 and 5 to 1.

In the first contest neither side could score until the seventh inning, when Pittsburgh made a run, when Wagner got to first, and went to second on an error by Tenney, and scored on Abbott's single.

Ground rules, making a hit into the crowd only good for two bases, kept Pittsburgh from scoring in the first inning when Wagner knocked what would have been a good three-bagger with Leach on first. Willis weakened in the eighth, with the result that New York got a home run, a triple, a double and two singles, thereby placing four runs to their credit.

New York started to score early in the second game, getting one run in the first inning on a hit, and another on a base on balls, and a sacrifice. Leifield was taken out in the seventh, after New York had made two runs on a single with a base on balls, a double and a sacrifice. Scores: First game: Pittsburgh, 1; New York, 4; hits, 7; errors, 1. Batteries—Willie and Gibson; Witte and Bresnahan.

Second game: Pittsburgh, 1; New York, 5; hits, 8; errors, 1. Batteries—Leifield, Camnitz and Phelps; Mathewson and Bresnahan. Umpires—Rigler and O'Day.

BUNCHED THE HITS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—A grouping of four hits and a double steal by Kling and Hoffman gave the locals today's game in the seventh inning. Score: Chicago, 4; hits, 9; errors, 0. Brooklyn, 2; hits, 8; errors, 1. Batteries—Fleisher, Fraser, Overall and Kling; Wilhelm and Baran. Umpires—Emble and Rudderham.

SCORE IN NINTH.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] CINCINNATI, Aug. 24.—Philadelphia won today's game by scoring in the ninth on Knabe's sacrifice hit, and Magee's fly. Score: Cincinnati, 1; hits, 5; errors, 0. Philadelphia, 2; hits, 6; errors, 1. Batteries—Campbell and McLean; McQuillen and Dooin.

CRITICAL DOUBLE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] ST. LOUIS, Aug. 24.—St. Louis took the final game of the series from Boston this afternoon by a score of 3 to 2. St. Louis' two-base hit and Charles' single scored the winning run. Score: Boston, 2; hits, 6; errors, 2.

GIVES THEM AXES!

FLYNN AND KAUFMAN READY FOR BATTLE.

JIM FLYNN and Al Kaufman finished training at their respective camps yesterday afternoon, and each expressed himself as satisfied as to physical condition. Both men are in fine fettle and despite the fact that Kaufman is an odds-on favorite of 6 to 10 or better, the fight is expected to be a whirlwind bout, for the freeman will force the milling every moment of the period, if he lives up to his former performances, and Al will be obliged to step lively if he would win in any shape.

The fight bugs are giving Kaufman the big end of the argument, it appears, mainly on account of his showing against Battling Johnson in their recent mill, and indications point that many wagers will be registered at 2 to 1 on Kaufman. A wad of money from San Francisco sports is awaiting Flynn takers at 10 to 6, and so much local coin is being offered on Al that a drop of 2 to 1 seems a surety before the fight tonight.

Flynn is so confident of winning that he placed \$1000 on himself at the odds of 7 to 1, while Kaufman displayed a similar faith by wagering a neat sum at prevailing figures.

Flynn will enter the ring at close to 170 pounds, while Kaufman will weigh advantage of thirty pounds, and this factor, added to Al's hard hitting powers, is also effecting the odds. Flynn is a bit worried, however, over the big difference in avoirdupois, as he has fought nearly all of his important battles at twenty to forty pounds under weight.

Kaufman went on the road for eight miles before he ate any breakfast Monday, and ended up the day's work with his usual stunts in the ring at the Venice amphitheater. He weighed 200 pounds after his exercise, and thus stands thirty pounds over Flynn, who scales under 170. Delaney feels confident that his protégé will defeat the freeman in the limited time for which the battle is scheduled. Although the veteran manager has placed no money on Kaufman, he is none the less sure that the northerner will give the best account of himself in the ring, for Delaney declares that never has Al been in so fine shape as he is now.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE.

DONOVAN BEATS JOHNSON.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—Donovan held Washington to two scattered hits today and Detroit shut out the locals 1 to 0. Johnson was very effective with men on bases. Score: Washington, 0; hits, 2; errors, 0. Detroit, 1; hits, 10; errors, 0. Batteries—Johnson and Street; Donovan and Schmidt.

COOMBS KNOCKED OFF.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 24.—Cleveland won easily from Philadelphia today by knocking Coombs off the rubber in six innings. Score: Philadelphia, 2; hits, 2; errors, 7. Batteries—Liebhardt and Bemis; Coombs, Schlitter and Powers.

SOX CHOP WOOD.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] BOSTON, Aug. 24.—Chicago made it three straight by winning from Boston. Score: Chicago, 5; hits, 5; errors, 0. Boston, 4; hits, 10; errors, 1. Batteries—White and Sullivan; Wood, Steele and Criger.

BREAK EVEN.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—The double-header between St. Louis and New York was an even thing today. Score, first game: St. Louis, 4; hits, 8; errors, 0. New York, 2; hits, 9; errors, 1. Batteries—Waddell and Smith; Hogg and Sweeney.

Second game: St. Louis, 4; hits, 12; errors, 3. New York, 6; hits, 8; errors, 0. Batteries—Powell and Stephens; Chesbro and Kleinow.

RESULTS IN MINOR LEAGUES.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE. Montgomery, 2; Memphis, 4. Little Rock, 2; Nashville, 1. Birmingham, 4; Mobile, 1. EASTERN LEAGUE. Newark, 5; Rochester, 0. Buffalo, 2; Baltimore, 1. Toronto, 1; Providence, 1. Montreal, 2; Jersey City, 0.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Sioux City, 2; Des Moines, 0. Denver, 2; Lincoln, 1. Pueblo, 0; Omaha, 1 (first game). Pueblo, 0; Omaha, 3 (second game). AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. Minneapolis, 4; Toledo, 0. Kansas City, 3; Indianapolis, 2. Columbus, 10; St. Paul, 4. Louisville, 5; Milwaukee, 1.

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Judge Bordwell, yesterday, deferred until Thursday morning, action on the petition of Lester L. Adams for permission to visit his sick son, Lester M. Adams, who refused to see his father.

Judge James, yesterday, set Friday afternoon as the time of the hearing on the writ of habeas corpus secured by William Bashford of Indiana, who seeks to regain the custody of his daughter Helen, now living with her mother, Mrs. Nellie Kressler, Bashford's former wife.

Judge James, yesterday, issued a temporary order preventing the holding of the annual meeting of the People's Gas and Coke Company, as an injunction suit was filed to that end in the Superior Court in the name of the corporation against L. P. Lowe and others.

The supervisors, yesterday, adopted changes in the plans for the County Fair annex, awarded bids for the Alhambra school bond issue, and considered the formation of the proposed Alhambra district.

R. D. List went before the Council yesterday and offered to give a lot which he owns on Forty-third street to the city in return for a release from the street assessments on that lot; he says the assessments are \$200 worse than confiscation.

The City Council took under advisement yesterday an ordinance abolishing the Municipal Free Labor Bureau.

Ed. B. Tufts is now a member of the police board; the Council confirmed his appointment by a unanimous vote.

Justices of the Police Court yesterday, after an agreement with Chief of Police Kerner, have agreed to allow drivers who have no license will be arrested and heavily fined.

The charge of passing worthless checks that had been preferred against Joseph Jardine, Jr., a wealthy banker and San Francisco, was dismissed yesterday by Justice.

AT THE CITY HALL.

OFFERS LOT FOR ASSESSMENTS.

STREET WORK COST EXCEEDS VALUE OF LAND.

Man Tells Council That He Cannot Give His Property Away, and Declares Assessment for Opening Forty-third Street is Worse Than Confiscation.

Here is the chance for the person who is seeking something for nothing. R. D. List owns a lot that fronts on Forty-third street at its intersection with Central avenue. It is good business property, and has been valued at \$150 a front foot.

In the Council yesterday afternoon, List made the assertion that he will give a clear title to this lot to any responsible person who will come forward and accept the property. There is no mortgage and no incumbrance, and he paid a good price for it, now he is offering it for nothing.

He says that the assessment for opening Forty-third street is so high that it is a gift. He says that the assessment for opening Forty-third street is so high that it is a gift. He says that the assessment for opening Forty-third street is so high that it is a gift.

There is just one stipulation; the person accepting it must be in position to pay the assessment for opening Forty-third street. The strip is 100 feet wide; the assessment for opening Forty-third street is \$200 a front foot. List said yesterday that he tried to give it to the owner of the property, but the owner declined to accept it until the street assessment is paid. List would be willing to give the strip and the lot to the city, but the city declines to accept the gift. List receives damages for some other property which is taken for the street, and at the same time he is in position to collect the amount assessed against the five-foot strip.

This is just one of half a dozen propositions against the new assessment for opening Forty-third street. One property owner testified yesterday that when his property was assessed for \$300, he came the new assessment and was stuck for a raise from \$300 to \$1300, a raise of \$1000.

The Council and the property owners quarreled over the assessment for the Forty-third street opening yesterday. It is one of the most intricate tangles that has grown out of a street assessment since the present administration by opening Forty-third street. Forty-second street is to be closed; the six-foot strip that forms Forty-second street will be turned back to the owners of the adjoining property. The legislators have been trying to adjust the assessment so that the persons who are assessed will have to pay the portion of the assessment for opening Forty-third street. But the owners of the property there are transferring and cross-transferring their property, and so that the ownership is always in question.

"I am just as certain as I am that I live that the property owners are trying to escape the assessments which they should pay," said Councilman R. D. List. "I have found out at us for a part of that property, but I have it direct from the owners there that he doesn't own a lot of it, and that he is trying to escape the assessments which they should pay."

The Councilmen talked and wrangled among themselves and with the property owners for hours. Finally, they voted to leave the assessment as it is; they told the protesting property owners to take their complaints to the Superior Court. "If the use is brought up in that way," said Councilman R. D. List, "we may be able to get at something else concerning those hidden transfers of property in the assessment district."

WOULD ABOLISH BUREAU.

OFFERED TO "FREE LABOR." Making the contention that there is shortage of funds the Council voted yesterday to abolish the City Free Labor Bureau. Councilman Wallace offered the ordinance abolishing the bureau. He said that it has not proved successful, and that the position of sealer of the bureau is little more than sinecure.

The ordinance passed by a unanimous vote. Fifteen minutes later inquiries were made from half a dozen sources as to what is to replace this bureau. Councilman Wallace said that he did not understand that the bureau itself was to be abolished and he moved for a reconsideration. Wallace contended that the ordinance should be recalled and the whole question held under consideration for two weeks.

According to the reports made by the Finance Committee the Free Labor

Bureau is not making a good showing. It is located on East Second street in what is known as the employment agency district. It appears that these take all the business away from the municipal bureau. Complaint has been made that Manager Wilson has devoted more of his time to nose trading than to tending to the business of the bureau. This Wilson denies.

The opinion most commonly expressed at the City Hall is that the Free Labor Bureau is an excellent institution, provided it is conducted properly. It seems that a mistake has been made in locating the bureau in a small room east of Main street in place of in some department at the City Hall. The bureau could do a great deal to protect indigent workmen from the unscrupulous among the employment agencies. It is now proposed that the bureau shall be located in a wing built to the health office and that all the city departments employing labor shall join in making it a success.

Thorough investigation will probably be ordered by the Council before final action is taken in the matter of abolishing this bureau.

TUFTS WINS STAR.

NOW POLICE COMMISSIONER. E. B. Tufts is now a member of the police board. The Mayor sent a special message to the Council yesterday formally announcing Tufts' appointment to succeed Fuller.

Councilman Lyon moved the confirmation of the appointment; the motion carried unanimously.

Spokesman of the retirement of Commissioner Fuller, the Mayor said: "Fuller insisted that his resignation should be accepted. He desired to retire from the police board, and he realized that if he remained a member the administration would be the objective point of attacks from the press and the public. Fuller made an excellent commissioner; I considered him one of the most valuable of my appointees. He was a man of high character and was founded; but Fuller declined to serve it opposed from any source."

SHOCK FOR REFORMERS. DANCE HALL REFERENDUM. Referendum petitions were placed in circulation, yesterday, for the purpose of defeating the anti-dance hall legislation passed by the Council last Monday. The dance hall proprietors have discovered that the referendum is an excellent club with which to whip the "reformers" into submission.

A number of the petitions were about town and it was reported from East of Main street that they were signed freely by the liberal element. The referendum section of the charter provides that if these petitions receive signatures equal to 15 per cent. of the vote at the last city election, the ordinance at which they are aimed cannot become a law until voted on by the people at a special election.

The dance hall proprietors themselves decline to discuss the referendum movement, but it is pretty generally understood that the circulators of the petitions are paid by the name for signs.

If the petitions are successful the alleged beauties of the referendum legislation will be brought home forcibly to the would-be reformers who have been singing anthems of praise to the referendum and its fellows the initiative and the recall.

The Liberal Alliance alone contains a membership about sufficient to make the referendum petition mandatory on the Council. As soon as it is presented and approved by the City Clerk the anti-dance hall ordinance becomes a dead letter on the statute books. It cannot be retracted, except through the medium of a special election.

The cost of this special election would be between \$10,000 and \$15,000, and the whole of the expense must be borne by the city. The referendum is so admirably drafted that not one dollar of expense can be charged to the persons who will benefit by the defeat of the ordinance, and who are responsible for the referendum petitions.

There is but one alternative. The ordinance can remain a dead letter for the next year and a half, and when the next city election is held the ordinance can be submitted to a vote of the people.

For the first time the professionalism of the referendum movement has been direct to the reformers who have clamored for it so loudly. They will discover that it is simply a question of putting up the money sufficient to buy the requisite number of signatures; and these can be purchased easily for 10 cents a name.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

SICK SON WON'T ADMIT FATHER.

BITTER FEELING OF POSSIBLY DYING YOUTH.

Differences of Parents Lead to Divorce Suit and Cross-Complaint. Led Sides With Mother and Begs Judge Not to Let Paternal Ancestor Visit Him.

Though possibly near death from repeated hemorrhages, it is said that the feeling of Lester M. Adams, 18 years old, toward his father, Lester E. Adams, an Eagle Rock ranchman, is so bitter that the lad threatens to turn his face to the wall if his father is permitted by the court to enter his room. Testimony to this effect was given before Judge Bordwell yesterday.

The elder Adams's wife, Mrs. Inez Adams, has sued for divorce on the ground of cruelty. The husband filed a cross-complaint, charging adultery. Both were in court, because Adams had secured an order directing his wife to show cause why she should not be permitted to see her son. The father stated that last Wednesday he phoned to his wife's home in the Arroyo Seco, saying that he intended to visit the lad, and was told that he would be refused admission to the house. He called on Thursday and was not admitted, nor was he on Saturday.

"My husband was refused admission to me at my son's request," said Mrs. Adams. "His father has contributed nothing to his support for fifteen months and has not spoken to him, or tried to visit him for five months, until recently. The boy has been working in the office of an ice company to help earn a living for us both since I left my husband, about fifteen months ago, and the last time he met his father, my husband dragged the boy into the house, struck him and tried to tell him that I was a bad woman."

"My son would not say a word and finally got out of the house after being paid \$100 fine in Justice Selph's court yesterday, for selling morphine in a San Pedro drug store without a license."

A short time ago my son was attacked with pulmonary tuberculosis, and his father, who drinks all the

time, never came near him until last Wednesday, when he phoned that he was coming to see the boy and tell him what low-lived thing his mother is. My son refused to see him, for he has had weekly hemorrhages and his physician said that he must avoid all excitement. I told his father this, and he said he would break in the house. Then I sent for a policeman and he stayed about for several hours, but my husband did not come that day.

"The excitement of all this affair has so affected my son that he had severe hemorrhages Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Even I am not allowed to stay in his room longer than to make him comfortable. My son says that he will not see his father, and will turn his face to the wall if he enters the room. My younger son is with his father, but he comes to see me, and says that he is ill treated. I have found the child's body covered with lice, and he is always dirty and ill cared for."

"Mrs. Adams made no concealment of her hostility toward her husband, who also showed his animosity toward her."

H. E. Stroud, young Adams's attending physician, corroborated the mother's statements regarding her son's condition, and said that his patient was not fit to be visited by his father. The physician expressed hopes of the boy's recovery, but said that he is in a critical condition and that the least excitement might be fatal. The witness added that he had given strict orders that no person be allowed to enter the room.

Judge Bordwell said he would defer a decision and that in the meantime a physician selected by Adams might visit the boy and report to the court Thursday morning.

An affidavit by the youth was presented, in which the son stated his unwillingness to see his father, and nothing to do with his father.

CONTEST FOR CHILD.

FOLLOWS GRANTING OF DIVORCE. Mrs. Nellie Kressler, wife of George Kressler and former wife of William Bashford of Fort Wayne, Ind., appeared in Judge James's court, yesterday afternoon, with her eight-year-old daughter, Helen Bashford, in response to a writ of habeas corpus. It was taken out by Bashford, who is again possession of his daughter and has her back to Indiana with him. Mrs. Kressler secured a divorce from Bashford in March, 1907, and at that time was awarded the custody of the child. She married Kressler last October and Helen has since lived with them.

Bashford asserts that his former wife was awarded the custody of their daughter, and that the condition of the divorce was not to take the child out of Indiana. On this ground he asks that Helen be restored to him.

Judge James continued the hearing until Friday afternoon, allowing Helen in the meantime to remain with her mother.

LOWE FACTION HALTED.

COURT PREVENTS MEETING. Twenty minutes before the Lowe faction was to hold the annual meeting of the People's Gas and Coke Company, yesterday morning, at the office of Attorney Oscar C. Trippett, a restraining order was issued by Judge James. It was secured by Attorney W. N. Goodwin for the Hayes-Goodwin faction. A suit filed in the Superior Court, by the gas and coke company against L. P. Lowe, Attorney Trippett and others, seeks to permanently enjoin the reformers from holding a meeting.

The complaint recites that L. P. Lowe and his associates, who say they own over two-thirds of the stock, recently served notice on interested parties of a change in the corporation's by-laws by which the date of the annual meeting was made August 24, instead of January 15. It is asserted that G. H. Hayes, W. N. Goodwin and their associates are the real owners of a majority of the stock, and that therefore the Lowe party has no right to hold a director's meeting.

This is the latest of several suits filed in the struggle between the two factions. Hayes and his associates lay claim to ownership of the corporation by their purchase of its bonds about a year ago, and of an option on a majority of the stock, and later, by their purchase of the stock and the plant at public auction on a judgment secured against Prof. Lowe.

It is probable that several more suits will be filed before the ownership of the corporation is finally determined.

JAIL ADDITION.

SUPERVISORS CHANGE PLANS. The supervisors yesterday adopted changes in the plans for the addition to the County Jail, at an added cost of \$12,000. Some alterations will be made in the foundations and the building will be provided with two Superior courtrooms for the trial of criminal cases.

Petitioners for the formation of the Wilmar levee district, south of San Gabriel, appear before the board of directors of the incorporation of a district of about 2000 acres to deal with winter storm waters. No action was taken as the petition lacks the requisite number of signatures. Some property owners desire that the proposed district shall include less land to the north and more to the west.

Six bids for the Alhambra school district bond issue were opened and it was awarded to N. W. Harris & Co., the highest bidders, at \$187 per cent.

The hearing on the petition for the incorporation of Belmont Heights was continued one week, to allow time for further preparation of data.

COURTHOUSE NOTES. BREVIETTES MISCELLANEOUS. THEATRE CASE. M. Flicker yesterday filed in the Superior Court a suit against the Orpheum Circuit Company and others for \$1000 damages, claimed for his alleged ejection on July 13 from the theater at No. 227 South Spring street. The plaintiff states that he went to the theater with his wife and child, and, receiving a return check, and that when he again sought admission, he was forcibly ejected from the building.

SEEKS DAMAGES. Thomas J. Griffith yesterday filed in the Superior Court a suit against the Los Angeles-Pacific Railroad Company for \$5,000 damages, alleged due for permanent personal injuries said to have been received on April 2 in a collision of cars at Rosemary station.

CONTINUED. As Justice Stephens desires to go on his vacation this week, the District Attorney and counsel for the defense agreed yesterday to a continuance until September 15 of the examination of Robert Mitchell of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League, who is accused of illegal voting in precinct 27 at the primary election.

DRUG CLERK FINED. E. C. Wilshire paid \$100 fine in Justice Selph's court yesterday, for selling morphine in a San Pedro drug store without a license.

VETERINARY ACCUSED. R. J. Schermerhorn, a veterinarian, gave \$100 bail in Justice Summerfield's court yesterday for appearance at his trial

on September 1 on a charge of practicing without a license.

SON VS. FATHER. Justice Summerfield yesterday continued until September 4 the examination of Jerry Randall, confined in the County Jail on complaint of his son, W. H. Randall of Rose Hill, who says that his father threatened to kill him on July 12. The defendants said yesterday that he was dissatisfied with his daughter-in-law's cooking, said so, and that was one of the incidents that resulted in his arrest.

MAYR SUIT. W. A. Mayr continued his testimony in Judge James's court yesterday in the divorce suit of Mayr against Mrs. Mayr on the ground of cruelty. He stated that for five years, ending in 1905, he spent \$1 per cent. of his income for the living expenses of himself and wife, and that in 1904, when he sold his interest in a Chicago business, he received \$25,000 cash and \$20,000 in notes for it. His household expenses for the last few years of his domestic life ran from \$150 to \$200 yearly. He said that his wife's brother, Allan McKinney, had stolen her diamond engagement ring and that at her wish he had him arrested and confined in jail for two days, when the charges were dismissed. McKinney, he asserted, is now wanted in Santa Barbara for embezzlement in the case of the McKinney estate. The deposition of Dr. Delport, who attended Mrs. Mayr at the birth of her child, was read.

INCORPORATIONS. Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday with the County Clerk by the California Alfalfa-Eucalyptus Ranch Company, capital stock \$250,000; Ithex Oil Company, capital stock \$100,000; and the Beneficial Association of Faithfuls, of Long Beach, no capital stock; Cooksey Barber Shop Company, capital stock \$100,000. The following gave notice of increase of capital stock: Union Provident Company, capital stock increased from \$100,000 to \$250,000; United Petroleum Company, capital stock increased from \$1,500,000 to \$10,000,000.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

IN LEAGUE FOR PUBLIC SAFETY.

POLICE COURT JUSTICES AFTER UNLICENSED AUTOISTS.

Police Chief Also Assisting in Effort to Lessen Number of Accidents. Wealthy San Francisco Business Man Freed of Charge of Passing Worthless Checks.

To prevent automobile accidents in this city and vicinity, Chief of Police Kern and the justices of the Police Court yesterday reached an agreement whereby every unlicensed chauffeur will be arrested and heavily fined.

Justice Rose stated that any man, woman or child brought before him on a charge of driving an automobile without a license would be fined from \$5 to \$100 on first appearance, and not less than \$50 if brought into court a second time. A third offense will receive a jail sentence.

Chief Kern yesterday issued orders to Motorcyclists and Officers Humphrey to arrest every violator of the license ordinance.

About half the drivers in the city have no license, it is said. While owners of cars secure permits to drive, when registering with the Secretary of State, many of them fail to comply with the city law.

According to officers, not more than ten of the men who handle rental cars have licenses. Many owners of autos permit their sons to operate the cars, and some of these are unlicensed. Any number of unlicensed school and college students run machines in Los Angeles every day. Wives and daughters of owners are also violating the municipal ordinance.

"The driving of automobiles about the city by people who have no right to do so will be stopped," said Chief Kern yesterday. "I have had many reports of young people endangering the lives of pedestrians by recklessness. My officers have received instructions to arrest every unlicensed driver and soon we will be in control of the situation. In case of an accident, we will require the owner of the car to give us the name of the person who was driving it and a glance at the list of licensed chauffeurs will show whether that person has a license."

Jardine Free. Charges of passing worthless checks, preferred against Joseph E. Jardine, Jr., a wealthy young business man of San Francisco, were dismissed yesterday by Justice Austin upon the request of Deputy Dist. Atty. Donnell.

Jardine came to Los Angeles, with his bride, in the latter part of July. While here he issued a check for \$100 to L. A. Ramsey and another for \$15 to H. E. Brant. These were returned from the London, Paris and American Bank of San Francisco, on which they were drawn, with the information that there was not enough on deposit to cover them.

Jardine was arrested in San Francisco and held in jail until the arrival of Detective Ingram of Los Angeles. An agreement was then reached whereby he was given his liberty under \$600 bonds upon his promise to appear in the Los Angeles court yesterday morning. His father, in the meantime, settled for the checks.

Yesterday it was learned that Jardine had \$415 in the bank and a note for \$100. He had been informed that the note was good. Later, the bank discovered that it was not.

The young man returned to San Francisco last night.

Wants New Law. "There ought to be a law prohibiting any one under the age of 21 years from entering the messenger service," said Justice Frederickson yesterday while trying the case of Ray Anderson, 18 years old, who was charged with the theft of a car.

The defendant was given the sum several days ago to pay the fine of a man imprisoned in the City Jail, and, it was alleged, had been reached by a messenger when 14 years old, that his work took him among the lowest of the city and that he learned the ways of evil associates.

Justice Frederickson took the case under consideration.

Señor Montt, a member of the Chilean Cabinet, has arrived at Lima, Peru, from Santiago de Chile to continue his duties as Minister of the Interior. He is the newly-elected President of Peru, upon his assumption of office. The new President thanked the Chilean envoy and reciprocated his good wishes.

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5. THOMAS MCKINLEY, Pomona	69,148
6. FLORENCE JARMAN, Highland	66,645
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8. ELLEN MARA ROBINSON, 1035 S. Vermont Ave.	52,617
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11. GLADYS HILL, Santa Barbara	47,154
12. RAMONA CARTER, 503 N. Figueroa St.	45,867
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15. LAURA EASTON, Soldiers' Home	39,708
16. KATHARINE VERONEE, 3914 S. Vermont Ave.	37,072
17. RALPH WARREN, Alhambra	36,594
18. MURRAY ROYAR, 411 Coronado St.	36,149
19. WALLIE SWAIN, Soldiers' Home	34,025
20. LEON RISENWEBER, Pasadena	33,760
21. GERTRUDE FLICK, 2303 S. Union Ave.	31,742
22. MYRTLE HALL, 3816 Central Ave.	30,755
23. HAZEL PESTOR, 141 Temple St.	28,889
24. MAE SIMMONS, 710 Alpine St.	27,836
25. EVA MATHEWS, 3511 Adair St.	27,377
26. CELESTE BENTON, 801 W. Thirty-second St.	25,377
27. WINFRED SPENCER, Hollywood	23,838
28. TERESA CAMP, 1644 Winfield St.	23,244
29. CLARENCE WESNER, 734 E. Twenty-fifth St.	22,775
30. GLENN ANDERSON, Pasadena	22,694
31. ZARRAH MORSE, 730 W. Fifth St., Santa Ana	19,443
32. LILLIAN TRIPPENSEE, 538 W. Eighteenth St.	18,972
33. ANNA MAY ELLISTON, Gardena	17,488
34. IDA MAY BENJAMIN, Covina	17,194
35. HOMER WATSON, Westminster	16,384
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37. HERBERT NICKEL, 901 Isabel St.	14,385
38. FRED SWARTZ, Colton	13,537
39. ARTHUR GREEN, 1815 Paul Place	12,267
40. CARL RANDAU, 1612 S. Los Angeles St.	12,171
41. MABELLE WASELL, Huntington Park	11,497
42. CHARLES YOLESIAS, 1404 Lincoln St.	11,372
43. WAVA TIST, 312 W. Thirty-seventh Place	9,483
44. MYRTLE ELGIN, 1214 Birch St.	8,514
45. RUTH EDINGER, Ocean Park	7,624
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47. OTTILIA KRAFT, 739 E. Pico St.	6,798
48. LUPE BUSTILLOS, 817 E. Eighth St.	5,834
49. EDITH WAKEFIELD, Tucson, Arizona	5,176
50. NAOMI DAVIS, Pasadena	4,445
51. ARTHUR CROMBIE, 141 E. Avenue 41	4,000
52. IVAN JOHNSON, Chatsworth Park	2,937
53. CLIFFORD MITCHELL, 1363 E. Fifty-eighth St.	3,832

Hazel Franklin is headed for the high line again. Yesterday she landed 4018 points, with two new annual subscriptions, one of which was secured for her by her Sunday-school teacher, Charles O. Goodwin, a young man of the city who is interested in the church people in Hazel's neighborhood.

"Who will win the Fairbanks piano?" That is the question in the minds of the young girls so fond of the high prizes in the contest. The instrument so earnestly coveted is a beauty in appearance, with rich, dark mahogany case, and the high-grade construction for which the Southern California Music Company stands. The Fairbanks has a special pet of this reliable house.

Thomas McKinley of Pomona, a member of that remarkable out-of-town trio, including Florence Jarman of Highland and Mary Pearl Pottol of Monrovia, sent in a score too late to be counted in the special prize contest, which ended last Saturday evening. The mail yesterday brought 3315 points from Thomas, including one new annual subscription and other new ones for lesser periods.

Mary Pearl Pottol had good fortune from Bakersfield yesterday. Nearly 1600 points, all representing new business, arrived from there, to be credited to the "Favorite of the Foothills." The little Pasadena lad, Leon Risenweb, increased his score yesterday by 1100 points, just exactly the number turned in by the little Presbyterian girl, Ellen Mara Robinson. Murry Royar is again the "Redlands Rustler," for he is rustling up the best boom he ever had from that place. Yesterday Murry sent in

5325 points, with two precious new annuals counting 2000. He is an interesting lad, and deserves to win the scholarship in the Yale school upon which he has set his heart.

Another lad with over 2000 points added to his credit is the soldier boy, Wallie Swain. He gave the management trouble in counting coupons yesterday, for he had 2500 in the bunch brought to headquarters. Wallie was accompanied by Rev. Charles Stuef, Fackenthal of Glendale, who has been entertaining the soldier lad at his home and boomer his cause in that vicinity.

Mae Simmons, that pretty English rose, always appears to know where new annual subscriptions are to be found. This morning Mae turned down Eva Mathews, and is No. 24, instead of 25.

The Santa Barbara girl, Gladys Hill, keeps up a steady scoring which will surely win something worth while in the end.

The Covina girl, Ida May Benjamin, is making an interesting race, and promises to come higher as the end approaches. Yesterday she sent in over 1100 points. Anna May Elliston of Gardena was another out-of-town girl to make a showing yesterday. Anna sent in one new yearly subscription and a number of other points. Many Fraternal Brotherhood people are determined to see this lovely brown-eyed girl go up higher before many more days have passed.

Ruth Edinger, the Ocean Park contestant, came in yesterday with a new annual subscription clear from Minonk, Ill., and consequently Ruth goes a little higher in the score this morning. Winfred Spencer of Hollywood had a glad surprise yesterday, for she was called to the telephone by E. B. Spencer of Los Angeles, who told her

he wished that she might go clear to the top, and as his name is the same he wanted to give his yearly renewal to her. Of course, Winny went after that subscription. Mr. Spencer has two little daughters, one born on Friday, the thirteenth day of the month, and the other on Friday, the twenty-third day of the month. The little girl born on the "skidoo" day said that if Winfred could not go to the top, then she hoped she might go back to twenty-three, as it is a lucky number.

THOSE SPECIAL PRIZES. Only two more special prizes are to be awarded for new business during the remainder of the contest, but these are "clancy" numbers that will appeal to the hearts of youngsters. One is a fine hammock, in which the successful contestant may rest and invite his soul after the summer's work is over. The other is a fine bicycle, a fine Spaulding football, or a fine basketball. The winner may select. The fall season at the various institutions of learning is one of outdoor competition. The boy who does not appreciate Spaulding football could not be found in Southern California, and the girl who can resist a fine basketball is certainly not a native daughter of the Golden West.

These two prizes will be awarded to the two contestants, whether boys or girls, who gain the greatest number of points from new business turned in during the contest. The prizes are from the Tuttle-Lyon Arms Company, at Nos. 132 and 134 South Spring street, exclusive agents for the A. G. Spaulding & Bros. sporting goods. The firm started in business in May, 1888, and has continued to grow in size and popularity, until it is unexcelled by any sporting goods house in Southern California. The members of the firm have a genius for divining the wants of athletic young America and the best way to fill them. The firm's goods are unusually popular with the buyers of sporting goods.

VISITORS' DAY. Next Thursday afternoon will be visitors' day at scholarship headquarters. The manager will be at home from 2 to 5 in the afternoon to all interested in the contest and the contestants. Many letters arrive each week from people who are working for some one in the contest, and the manager wishes to know about this contestant, or that deserving young boy or girl. To learn more about the contest, and to get the answers to questions on different points, all persons interested will be welcomed at headquarters Thursday afternoon.

NEW SCHOOL OF MUSIC. To the fine list of scholarships offered by The Times in the present contest, the management is proud to add the name of the Blaisdell School of Music, at No. 837 South Alvarado street. Miss Jeanette Birdsall of Chicago is director of this new factor in the musical life of Los Angeles, and the instruction it affords is unsurpassed by any like institution in Southern California.

In order that contestants may judge more intelligently of the scope and aims of the various educational institutions from which scholarships are offered, The Times will print from day to day some account of the schools on the scholarship list. This morning the Yale School for Boys is presented for consideration.

THE YALE ENGLISH AND CLASSICAL SCHOOL. The Yale School, an English and classical day and boarding school for young men and boys, located at Nos. 205 and 209 North Union avenue, during its seven years' history has achieved an unequalled record of instruction and successful character building.

It has been called the Yale School in deference to the complete system of education which distinguishes Yale University, and also in honor of the large number of graduates from that famous institution now located in Southern California.

The Yale English and Classical School Company is a State corporation, and the founders of the institution feel that it fills a long-felt need.

tains from whose tops the beautiful winds are constantly blowing, and where drainage is perfect. The school has recently purchased land and erected buildings for a summer camp at the beautiful Corona Del Mar beach on Newport Bay, the main object being to provide amusement and recreation for the boys during the summer vacation. The camp has a fine clubhouse with wide verandas, open fireplace, lockers, dark room for photography, and other conveniences. There is also a large boat-house containing dressing room and cold shower bath. The aquatic equipment consists of a gasoline launch, sail boat, row boat, and racing barges.

The first semester of the Yale School opens September 22.

THE PRIZES. Besides the valuable scholarships for which the young people are working, The Times offers fifteen cash prizes for those making the highest scores next to the top line, who will receive the prizes. The cash prizes, totaling \$1500, are arranged as follows:

No. 1	\$200
No. 2	140
No. 3	125
No. 4	110
No. 5	100
No. 6	90
No. 7	85
No. 8	75
No. 9	70
No. 10	65
No. 11	60
No. 12	55
No. 13	50
No. 14	45
No. 15	40

THE PIANO. The first prize to be awarded to the winner of the contest in addition to a choice of scholarships is a splendid Fairbanks piano from the Southern California Music Company, valued at \$400. It is a beautiful instrument of superior construction, handled by an old and reliable company, and an excellent "pure" and is doubly guaranteed. It is known among musicians for its exquisite tonal qualities and responsive action. The case may be of rich mahogany or dark wood.

Below is a partial list of the scholarships offered to contestants. It will be increased from time to time, as a number of other institutions will be included.

University of Southern California	College of Oratory, Beulah Wright, Dean
U.S.C. College of Liberal Arts	U.S.C. College of Law
U.S.C. School of Art and Design	Dobinson School of Expression
Huntington Hall	Von Stein Academy for Pianists
Fifteenth street and Grand avenue	Eva Keller School of Music
California School for Boys	Heald's Business College of Ocean Park
Heald's Conservatory of Music, Long Beach	Heald's Business College of Long Beach
California Military Academy, Santa Monica	Woodbury Business College
Los Angeles College of Fine Arts	Lyric School of Music, No. 732 South Olive street
Lyric School of Music, Banjo, Guitar or Mandolin	Fillmore School of Music
Throop Polytechnic Institute	St. Vincent's College
The Verdi School of Singing, No. 648 South Alvarado street	De Chauvenet Conservatory of Music and Dramatic Art, Fraternal Brotherhood Building
Los Angeles Military Academy	Los Angeles Conservatory of Music and Arts, Mrs. Emily J. Valentine, president
Phillips School of Shorthand Telegraphy	Yale School, No. 205-209 North Union avenue
The Page School for Girls, No. 137 West Adams street	Union School of Trades, No. 120 East Ninth street, with choice of three courses in one year each in electricity, plumbing or bricklaying
Immaculate Heart College, Hollywood	Brownberger Home School (business college)
Alhambra School of Music, No. 837 South Alvarado street	

the Eagles and was largely due to a committee of which Mrs. George Renwick was chairman and which included Mrs. McQuay, Miss Hutchinson, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Lincoln, Mrs. Bevia, Mrs. Froelich, Mrs. Ashen, Mrs. Shaffer, Mrs. Hutton, Mrs. Dunlap and Mrs. Johnson.

FUNERAL OF MRS. CRESSEY. The funeral of Mrs. Nellie E. Cressey, deceased, wife of Capt. Frederick C. Cressey, who died on Friday, was held at her late residence, No. 1644 Gramercy Place, yesterday afternoon. It was largely attended by the bereaved husband's comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic, members of the Order of the Eastern Star, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, Woman's Relief Corps, and many neighbors and friends. The services were conducted by Rev. C. C. Pierce, assisted by Rev. E. E. Brown and Dr. Weddell. Following an address by Mr. Pierce, the women of the Eastern Star and the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic held brief ritualistic services at the residence.

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETS. At the meeting of the City Board of Education last night, resignations were accepted from the following named teachers: Kate Haggerty, Alice I. Johnson, Alma Kerns, Gertrude Ambrose and Mabel E. Hayward. Leave of absence was granted to Irma C. Rider, Annie R. Noble, Laura M. Hussey, Mrs. Ella J. Betts, Edna Mores, Julia B. Monette and Clara E. Wright. The offer of a site for a new school at Fifty-third and

the building committee for report. The application for a graded school on the Furlong tract and for the establishment of a cooking school at the West Vernon school were referred to the superintendent in conjunction with the Building Committee. The resignation of the board and the City Superintendent were all absent, being on vacation.

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THE BRANCH OFFICE, No. 12143 South Spring street. Advertisements and subscriptions left at the new Spring-street office of The Times will receive as careful attention as at the main office. Competent clerks in attendance.

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We Invite the Children to a Maple Feast

If you have a child who doesn't know Mapl-Flake, let us buy you a package for it. Then the child, when it tastes the maple flavor, will ask you to buy it next.

The ideal food for hot weather. Whole wheat, made wholly digestible. Flaked and toasted, and flavored with maple syrup.

It gives one the maximum nourishment and produces the minimum heat. Meat acts the other way.

At least one meal a day, in summer, should consist of **Mapl-Flake** and fruit.

Comfort and good health demand it. None of the food foods can possibly take its place.

Mapl-Flake is whole wheat, prepared by a process requiring 96 hours.

The wheat is steam-cooked for six hours. Then it is cured for days—a partial digestive process.

Then each separate berry is flaked so thin that the full heat of our ovens can attack every atom. Then those thin flakes are toasted 30 minutes in a heat of 400 degrees.

Flaked foods can be prepared without all this expense—prepared in one-fourth of the time.

But that long process, and that fierce heat, are essential to perfect digestion. In no other way can the particles be separated so the digestive juices can get to them.

The result is a food that's all food, because it all digests. The shorter process makes a half food—a food that but half digests.

Then we cook our wheat in pure maple syrup, mainly for the children's sake.

There is little use in making the best food if children don't like it.

So we give it this enticing flavor—the maple delicious flavor that a cereal ever had.

The result is, children want it as much as you want them to have it. You can't serve it too often; they never get too much.

One Package Free

One package of **Mapl-Flake** will make you a convert forever. You will never go back to inferior foods after you once try this.

So we offer to buy the first package ourselves rather than have you delay.

Please send us this coupon—now before we forget it. We will then send you an order, good at your grocer's for a full-size package free.

Then you'll know. You will need no persuading to get it again.

Cut Out This Coupon

I have never used **Mapl-Flake**, but if you will send me an order on my grocer for a 15c package free, I shall be glad to try it.

Name _____

St. Address _____

City _____

Send this coupon to The Maple Food Co., Seattle, Wash.

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Los Angeles County—Its Cities and Towns.

FIRE ATTACKS STATELY PINES.

PIERCE BLAZE TWENTY MILES
NORTH OF WILSON.

May Prove to Be One of Worst in
History of Region—Negro Faces
Serious Charge—Salt Lake Will
Change Lincoln-Avenue Bridge.
Welshmen to Meet.

Office of The Times, No. 25 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Aug. 25.—What may prove to be one of the worst fires in the history of the near-by mountains was still burning fiercely late last night twenty miles north of Wilson's Peak and near Chaleo. The flames leaping up from the great trees could be seen plainly from the summit, and from the great clouds of smoke rising it is believed the entire forest of heavy pine north of Pine Flats is ablaze.

Forest Ranger Jensen left for the scene shortly before noon yesterday. The first fire was noted from Wilson's Peak shortly before 10 o'clock. As the day wore on it increased and as night settled down great clouds of smoke could be seen rising from the other side of the range.

All the mountains on this side of the mountains have been notified and await orders to move as soon as the exact location becomes known. Then they will be hurried over the nearest trail unless the fire shall have burned itself out by morning.

Manager Ross of the Mt. Wilson Hotel said last night that the fire seemed to be burning in that part of the mountains where the pines are thick, but he could not be sure of this, as the distance is so great. Word is expected from Ranger Jensen early this morning.

There are no rangers in the section of the country where the fire is, but prospectors frequent the section of mountains.

NEW THEATER OPENS.
Over 1100 people visited North Fair Oaks avenue, which was opened for the first time last night.

SERIOUS CHARGE.
Suddenly changing his mind, and against the advice of his attorney, H. B. Miller, who was arrested on Friday morning on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon, pleaded not guilty to a misdemeanor charge in Robert W. McDonald's court. He will now face a charge of assault with a deadly weapon and will be held to answer in the Superior Court. If found guilty he will be liable to a sentence of from six months to two years in the State Prison, while a misdemeanor charge carries only a penalty of up to six months or a short jail sentence. The original charge against Miller was changed to that of a misdemeanor with the consent of William Miller, who was attacked, and the accused at first agreed to plead guilty.

BRIDGE WILL BE CHANGED.
William Easterbrook, president of the Southern Lincoln Avenue Improvement Association, a confident that the bridge will be changed, said that the removal of the Lincoln Avenue bridge, which crosses Lincoln avenue just above Orange street, will be completed by the city of the Pacific Electric Railway Company, has been assured by Chief Engineer Jessup of the Salt Lake Railroad, that the bridge will be changed to a lower grade or an ornamental steel bridge of proper height will be put in before the branch railway is torn down.

There will be two meetings on Lincoln avenue tonight to consider the railway proposition. One will be at the home of William Miller, No. 1329 Lincoln avenue, and the other at the home of Joseph McKibben near Montebello street. The question of the grade of the bridge will also be taken up at the meeting of the Southern Association.

COLORED MEN FINED.
Refusing to swear to complaints against each other, Ben and Luan, colored men who shot each other with the same gun during a family row over the expenditure of 75 cents, were fined \$10 for discharging firearms inside the city yesterday and were allowed to go free.

HOSPITAL IN DANGER.
To fire started by ashes dumped in berry grass spread rapidly near the Pasadena Hospital yesterday and gave the fire department a lively run. The fire department had the fire out, but the presence of mind and perfect discipline of attendants, there was no sign of a panic among the patients.

THE SAVES FAMILY JEWELRY.
Insuring his valuables from loss by replacing them in a safety deposit box, Charles E. Grose of No. 325 South Los Angeles avenue, yesterday saved several hundred dollars while spending a few minutes at Catalina. Sunday he returned home to find that his house had been entered and goods valued at \$150 stolen.

DOG BITES BOY.
A vicious dog bit Orval Ray Wickham, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wickham, of No. 378 North Fair Oaks avenue, yesterday. Two punctures made by the animal's teeth were cauterized.

The local Humane Society is heading a fund to purchase a horse for St. McDonald, an aged Confederate soldier.

WELSH-AMERICANS.
The new Welsh-American society, Sons and Daughters of St. David, will have another meeting at the home of Dr. T. A. Williams, corner South Main and Green streets, this evening at 8 o'clock. Final arrangements for the Labor Day picnic will be made. The Welsh-Americans of Los Angeles will join the local at the picnic and a pleasant time anticipated. All good Welshmen and also and descendants of Welsh people are invited to attend both the meeting and the picnic.

Wadsworth sells paints.
See Phelps for fine wall paper.
Buy Chamber of Commerce bonds on basis of 6 1/2 per cent. of B. O. Kendall Co., or other Pasadena agents.
The Virginia, Long Beach, acquired by Mrs. Moderate rates for the summer.

Lame Shoulder.
Whether resulting from a sprain or from rheumatic pain, there is nothing so good for a lame shoulder as Chamberlain's Liniment. Apply liberally and rub the parts vigorously at application and a quick cure is obtained.—Adv.

New Los Angeles-P. E. Service.
For the convenience of patrons desiring to reach Los Angeles early in the morning, the Pacific Electric Railway has put on an early car, leaving Glendale at 6 a.m., Azusa at 6:30 a.m., Monrovia at 6:50, and arriving in Los Angeles at 7:10 a.m.

NUTT NOT IN IT. Policeman Prevents His Ducking His Troubled "Nutt" in Blue Waters of Venice.

VENICE, Aug. 24.—When C. Nutt, a young man who gave Los Angeles as his home, walked out on the Windward Avenue pier this morning, headed for the breakwater, he stated that he intended to end his troubles by jumping into the sea. The remark was overheard by a police officer, who took the young man to the station. Nutt said he was disconsolate and discouraged on account of recent trouble with his wife. He was given his freedom upon promise to return to Los Angeles.

WATER CARNIVAL. Plans are being developed for a great water carnival to be held here Saturday and Sunday. An attractive pro- gramme of aquatic contests and sports is being prepared as well as boxing bouts. A long swim from the Venice pier to the Hollister avenue pier will be a feature of the water sports.

S. T. McCarver, publicity manager for the Abbott Kinney Company, was quietly married in Los Angeles this afternoon, to Miss Marie Desque of Terre Haute, Ind.

WILL FIGHT. BICYCLE BYLAW TO BE TESTED.

PROMINENT MERCHANT DE-
MANDS JURY TRIAL.

Candidate for Mayorality at Last
Election is Defendant—City At-
torney Refuses to Prosecute Him,
So Police Must Hire Other Legal
Talent—Beach Notes.

SANTA MONICA, Aug. 24.—W. I. Hull, recent candidate for Mayor, will be tried by jury Saturday on a charge of having broken the ordinance prohibiting the riding of bicycles on the sidewalk. The prosecution will be conducted by the police department, as the City Attorney has advised the dismissal of the complaint and will not prosecute. The outcome is awaited with interest, not only because the defendant is one of the city's leading business men, but because this will be the first jury trial since the adoption of the ordinance.

Mortimore C. Jarrett died at his residence on Fifth street this morning at the age of 62 years. Deceased, who was a native of West Virginia, had been a resident of the city during the past two years. He leaves a widow and two daughters, Mrs. E. Randall and Mrs. Charles Knox of this city, and one son, whose home is in Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Pratt of Los Angeles have purchased a residence on Fifth street and have come to the beach to make their home.

C. A. Thimsen, a former resident of this city, is a visitor here for a few days. His home is in Modesto.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles left today to visit their old home in Kansas. They have spent the last twenty years in California.

A CHANCE TO "KICK." The sixty-day trial of the magneto electrolytic sewerage purification plant, having ended, the City Council tonight decided to defer for one week the final purchase of the equipment, the price of which is \$10,000. This will give the citizens a chance to "kick," if they so desire.

DAMAGE BY HIGH WAVES.
The waves were very high here today, and did considerable damage to the concrete pier now being built. The old wooden pier at North Beach is unsafe, and will be closed to the public.

AVALON. AVALON, Aug. 24.—The South Coast Yacht Club will have its annual meet here September 5-7 and on September 6 the Eagles will hold a barbecue, which, it is expected, will bring hun- dreds to the island.

Mrs. Margaret Barry of Los Angeles, in company with Mrs. A. Miller and Mrs. A. B. McDonald, spent Sunday at the Metropole.

Rev. Dr. Hugh K. Walker, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles, preached yesterday morning to a congregation that filled the local church. For years Dr. Walker has spent his vacation here and for the past four summers he has occupied the pulpit of the Congregational Church on Sunday in August.

Frank Wiggins came over yesterday to take a look at the island. He will attend the reunion at Okaloosa of Crocker's Brigade, to which he belonged and which formed a part of Gen. McPherson's army of the Tennessee.

Martin Sherry, who has been driving the Pomona Fire Company's chemical engine and looking after the fire hall, has had a nip when his work on account of illness. Cecil Dundas has taken his place.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Loetterer, who have been living on West Second street, will leave tomorrow for Illinois, accompanied by Mrs. Loetterer's sister, Mrs. Hall, and her family. The latter, who has been visiting the latter's aunt, Mrs. Loetterer, for a month, started for Chicago today.

Americus B. Clark and family are enjoying an outing at Seven Oaks in San Antonio, Calif.

DECORATE THE HIGHWAY. Over Two Hundred Horseless Carriages Met Between Ocean Park and Los Angeles.

OCEAN PARK, Aug. 24.—While taking a spin from the sea to Los Angeles yesterday, Roy Hogan counted 217 horseless carriages, representing dozens of styles, makes and manufacturers and reflecting a sample of the output of practically every recognized automobile factory in the country.

CHANGE OF NAME.
The second step toward securing the change of the official name of the city from Ocean Park to Venice will probably be the circulation of a petition embodying this request. This memorial, which is to be fathered by the Venice Chamber of Commerce, will be presented before the Legislature since there seems to be no clear and easy manner provided by law whereby a city may change its name when its residents so elect. So far as lawyers who have investigated the matter have been able to discover, the City Trustees have no authority to either change the name or call an election at which the question may be submitted.

BIG CONTRACT.
The City Trustees tonight let the contract to the Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific Company, for the construction of 1200 feet of bulkhead, on the ocean front at Salt Line Beach. The price is \$14,900.

MERRY MONARCH. "LUCKY" BALDWIN HEAVING COALS.

SAYS HE IS RETURNING GOOD
FOR FORMER EVIL.

Willing to Disincorporate Nearly
Two Miles of His Kingdom—But
Sierra Madre Figures He is Trying
to Get Out of Paying Large Sum
for Improvements.

SIERRA MADRE, Aug. 24.—"Lucky" Baldwin is causing the Board of Trade and the city officials insomnia while they figure out means to check him. An election is to be held in Arcadia September 2, to disincorporate nearly two miles of White Oak boulevard.

The highway commissioners have entered into an agreement with Baldwin to improve and care for this strip of land. Baldwin gives a strip of 600 feet running through the city and paralleling White Oaks boulevard. Opinion is divided here as to whether Baldwin is putting a fence around the place. The fence is already here; the northern line of the City of Arcadia.

REASONS IN FAVOR.
Another strip of about a quarter of a mile belongs to "Lucky" and is one of the main arteries of this place. He refuses to improve this. Many claim it is better to permit the highway commissioners to improve two miles and leave the quarter mile unimproved than to have the whole two and a quarter miles in the condition it is now in, and is apt to stay in if not disincorporated. The Supervisors say it will not injure the present condition of this city, but improve it. They cannot figure any just grounds to top it. It puts Col. "Bob" Northam's handsome residence out of Arcadia and into the county. The rest of the strip is uninhabited and is a long stretch of barley fields, with many live oaks on it. Should this ever become a residential section it would be easier to come into the boundaries of this place.

BALDWIN UNDISTURBED.
Baldwin is not disturbed at the philanthropic act. Years ago this city fought him on his water rights and won; now he thinks he is "heaping coals of fire" on the city. His efforts will be made to thwart "Lucky." It looks like an uphill fight, as this time he has the Supervisors and the Highway Commission with him.

DEATH CLAIMS HER. Well-Known Pomona Woman Dies After Short Illness—Influ- enza Horse Owners Punished.

POMONA, Aug. 24.—The death of Mrs. Ruth Kiler, wife of William B. Kiler, occurred at the family home on Mills avenue, last night, after a short illness. The deceased leaves a widow, a son, and two daughters. She was a member of the local lodge of the Fraternal Brotherhood, in which she was insured for \$1000, and under the auspices of which the funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from Todd's funeral chapel on North Garey avenue.

HUMANE WORK. The local Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is meeting with splendid support from residents and is completing a room for the humane lines. Several men have been arrested and fined for driving suffer- ing horses. A prominent resident of this city, who was driving a horse at 10 o'clock a.m., "hitched it" to a post in the hot sun, and left the animal there without food and water for eighteen hours, has been fined \$10.

IMPROVEMENTS.
Carpenters and decorators are at work making ready the lower floor of the Home Telephone Company's building, north of the First National Bank, which has been occupied by the San Antonio market, for the occupancy of S. N. Curran, Mrs. Thruce, Ryan, Miss Florence Sutton, Mrs. Farquhar, and Messrs. Sinsbaugh, Rhinley, Son, Francis, and Duncan. In the evening the same parties will play bridge whist in the hotel parlors.

CONTRACTS FOR ROCK.
The Los Angeles Dock and Terminal Company closed a contract today with the California Construction Company for 1000 carloads of rock to be delivered at the rate of ten cars a day. The rock is to be thrown in along the two jetties at the mouth of San Gabriel River, completing them in readiness for the dredging of the channel. The rock is to come from Riverside quarries.

The Council this morning canvassed the election returns on the annexation of Carroll Park and the ocean strip extending east to the West Naples Canal. In the city the vote was 427 for and 139 against annexation. In the territory to be annexed there were 23 voters for and 1 against. The returns will be certified to the Secretary of State.

HOTEL ARRIVALS. Arrivals at Hotel Virginia are: Mr. and Mrs. James B. Martin, Los An- geles; Mr. and Mrs. W. Rogers, Holly- wood; Dr. Sidney Budgett, Crestmore; S. C. Hubbell, wife and daughter, W. S. Graves, Jr., Miss Ida Bowen, Ernest L. Bowen, Los Angeles; C. S. Hartman, Pasadena; A. Garfield Drake, Mrs. A. G. Drake, P. H. Sargent, Los Angeles; William G. Denno, Colorado Springs; E. M. Hodgman, St. Louis; F. S. Fulmer, Newton, Mass.; Edwin P. Holmes, Boston; Mrs. J. W. G. Given, Houston, Tex.; James W. Edwards, W. B. Weir, San Francisco; J. A. Dubbs, Pittsburg; C. P. Dubbs, Mariposa; W. C. Phillips, San Francisco; Garfield R. Jones, Pasadena; E. J. Murphy, Los Angeles.

TRIUMPHANT. EASILY CARRIES SCHOOL BONDS.

COVINA REJOICES AT SUCCESS
OF FOURTH ELECTION.

Big Majority Rolled Up and Smith
Site is Approved—Huntington In-
terested in New Company Formed
to Take Over Water Properties of
Older Concern.

COVINA, Aug. 24.—The fourth election on the question of issuing bonds to the extent of \$60,000 for the erection of a union high school building was held today and the bonds triumphantly carried. The vote was 313 for, 69 against. The Smith site was also decided on by 225 votes to 131.

The election prior to this brought out 319 votes and the city rejoices in the strong sentiment shown today in favor of the bonds. The first election voted bonds in excess of the legal 5 per cent of the assessed value of the district, which invalidated it. The second election resulted in defeat by ten votes.

The third election was held because of insufficient time elapsed between the call and the election. The next steps will be the sale of the bonds by the Supervisors and the letting of the contract.

HUNTINGTON INTERESTED.
Articles of incorporation in the sum of \$300,000 were filed today for the Covina City Water Company. It is a segregation of the water holdings of the Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Roberts, Long Beach; W. E. Swain and wife, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Craps, Long Beach; Mrs. J. H. Holden, Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Cromwell, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Farlow, Pasadena; H. H. Ramsey, Los Angeles; Arthur A. Dodsworth, Pasadena; John I. Gilmore and wife, Los Angeles.

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REDONDO. REDONDO, Aug. 24.—The principal talk is as to who will be appointed to succeed Messrs. Cleveland and Gram- ham as Trustees. Both H. B. Al- worth and L. J. Quint, former Trust- ees, whose terms expired in April last, have been prominently men- tioned, but it is thoroughly under- stood that neither would accept. James Ferguson, a well-known Republican and prominent Eagle, for twenty-odd years a resident of Los Angeles, is said to have a chance for one of the vacancies.

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY.
Prof. Meyer and Loewy of Vienna
have made a series of X-ray photo-
graphs of victims of accidents during
their period of returning to conscious-
ness, which show the movements of the
respiratory organs.

Dr. Wolfhugel, a Bavarian army
surgeon, has found from investiga-
tions of the cause of mortality among
butchers, that the number that die
from heart disease is about twice that
of every other class of tradesmen. His
conclusion is thus the same as that
of Huchard, the French expert on
heart diseases, who recently declared
that meat eating was responsible for
heart disease in a majority of cases.

Salt is purified by melting in the new
and rapid English process. The crude
rock salt is fed automatically to a table
contained in a large furnace, in
which it is melted into a liquid, from
which it is drawn at one side of the
furnace into large cauldrons. Air is
forced into the molten mass and lime
is added. The impurities sink to the
bottom and the upper portion is
ground and screened, while the lower
part is used for chemical manufacture.

The Paris Academy of Sciences has
appointed a committee to consider a
suggestion by M. Bouquet de la Grye
concerning the application of wireless
telegraphy to the problem of the de-
termination of longitude at sea. The
idea is to utilize the wireless telegraph
station of the Eiffel tower in order to
send, for instance, every night at
midnight a Hertzian signal giving the
time of the meridian of Paris. M. Bou-
quet de la Grye thinks that if a station
were established at the Peak of Tener-
iffe signals could be detected com-
pletely around the earth.

Strong chemical fertilizers should
not be given too lavishly to growing
plants. Nitrate of soda is good as a
source of nitrogen, but you cannot
grow a plant in pure nitrate of soda,
acid phosphate and other actual food
substances; not even if they are mixed
with the most consummate skill. Look
at a clay soil; it is generally regarded
as a pretty poor one for growing
plants, but it has more actual units
of food in it than any other sort of
soil you can take, and it is improved
by throwing in the solid grit of sand
or the rubbish of ashes from the fur-
nace.

MITCHELL CASE CONTINUED.
Another continuance was granted in
the case of Robert Mitchell, the Lin-
coln-Roosevelt Assembly candidate and
confessed election day "repeater." This
time both the defense and prosecution
were ready to try the case, but Justice
Stephens continued it on his own mo-
tion, for the stated reason that he
wants to go on his vacation.

Missionary work in China was the
subject of a conference yesterday be-
tween Mr. Taft and George W. Paint-
er, an American missionary to that
country.

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